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FLOOD—August 22, 1923, to Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Flood, 3 Huskisson st. Liverpool, a daughter.

RAY—August 23, 1923, at 3 Auburn Villas, Limerick, to Mr. and Mrs. James Ray, a son.

MARRIAGES.

ABEL-SMITH and WALSH—August 22, 1923, at Rostrevor Parish Church, by the Rev. Canon Tichborne, Rector of St. Mark's, Armagh, assisted by the Rev. R. D. Patterson, M.A., Colonel Lionel Abel-Smith, D.S.O., Royal Artillery, to Geneviève Lilac (Vivee), younger daughter of the late Robert Walsh, of Armagh, and Mrs. Walsh, Warrenpoint.

BOURKE and BEDDOES—August 15, 1923, at the Oratory, Edgbaston, by the Very Rev. Denis Shiel, assisted by the Rev. Francis Morgan and the Very Rev. Canon Hanley (cousin of the bride), John Francis, only son of the Recorder of Cork and Mrs. Bourke, The Lodge, Banteer, Co. Cork, to Eileen Winifred, fourth daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Beddoes, 5 Westfield rd., Edgbaston.

DELMEGE and THOMPSON—August 23, 1923, at Birmingham, James Anthony Delmege, younger son of the late Deputy Inspector-General A. G. Delmege, R.N., M.V.O., F.R.C.S., and grandson of the late Right Honourable James Anthony Lawson, to Emma Tinnion Thompson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thompson, Smethwick, Staffs.

ROGERS and ROPER—August 23, 1923, at the Parish Church, Killiney, by the Rev. Canon Stoney, D.D., assisted by Rev. D. C. Green, B.D., Rector, Captain Robert Peverell Rogers, Wiltshire Regiment, younger son of Captain J. Peverell Rogers, R.A., and Mrs. Rogers, Penrose, Helston, Cornwall, to Margaret Noel Roper, younger daughter of Blayney Tenison Roper and Mrs. Roper, Mount Druid, Killiney.

BARGEANT and BOWDEN—August 18, 1923, at St. Paul's Church, Weymouth, by the Rev. M. Fisher, Staff-Sergeant Harry Sargeant, R.E., youngest son of late Benjamin Sargeant, of 134 St. Catherine's Ave., Dublin, to Hilda Evelyn Annie, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. Bowden, Weymouth.

THOMPSON and CADDOO—August 22, 1923, at Carlow Presbyterian Church, by the Rev. J. H. Black, William Thompson, fourth son of the late John Thompson, Glosfer, Roscrea, to Letitia Caddoo, eldest daughter of Samuel John Caddoo, Kilbannagh, Dungannon.

WHYTE and O'NEILL—August 15, 1923, at St. Peter's Church, Dublin, by the Rev. Captain F. W. Synnott, M.C., William H., eldest surviving son of the late John Whyte Monasterevan, Co. Kildare, to Nancy, eldest daughter of the late Charles O'Neill, Castlemaine, Co. Kerry.

DEATHS.

ANNOUNCEMENTS received late for insertion in this Column will be found on Page 4.

FERGUSSON—August 24, 1923, at 48 Albert rd., Glenageary, Margaret, widow of the late Stephen Fergusson, Esq., Elm Glen, Kilmurray, Co. Cork. Canadian papers please copy.

GORDON—On Saturday, August 25, 1923, Marie L., wife of Captain F. Gisborne Gordon, of Knocknagarra, Curragh. Funeral, at 10.30, to-morrow (Tuesday).

GRAHAM—August 24, 1923, at a Nursing Home in Dublin, Rev. Andrew Graham, Rector of Letternacaward, Co. Donegal, son of the late Andrew Graham, Waterside House, Laghey, Co. Donegal. Funeral to-day (Monday), August 27th, at 1 o'clock p.m., from Donegal to family burying ground, Laghey.

MITCHELL—August 22, 1923, at her residence, 5 New Steyne Mansions, Brighton, Sarah Mitchell, late of 20 Victoria rd., Rathgar, widow of the late William Mitchell, Strabane.

SPRINKS—August 26, 1923, at 79 Strand rd., Sandymount (late 62 Philsborough rd.), Mary Jane, the beloved wife of John Speidel. Funeral to Mount Jerome, at 9.30, to-morrow (Tuesday) morning.

STONEY—August 25, 1923, at Abbeyleix, Janet Constance, daughter of Hugh B. Stoney, M.B. Funeral to-morrow (Tuesday), noon.

TACKABERRY—August 24, 1923, Margaret, the dearly-beloved wife of Nathaniel Tackaberry, Overview av., Dublin. Deeply regretted by her sorrowing husband, sons, relatives, and friends. "Thy will be done." Funeral from Jervis st. Hospital, 10 a.m., to-day (Monday), to Mount Jerome.

WALTERS—August 15, 1923, at her residence, 8 Dorset Gardens, Brighton, after a long and painful illness, Helen Amy, beloved wife of John A. Walters, and eldest daughter of the late Margaret McGowen, 6 New st., Killarney.

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Dated 24th day of August, 1923.
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TAKE NOTICE that JOSEPHINE MARY BYRNE, late of 65 Waterloo road, in the County of Dublin, Spinster, by her Will, bearing date the 19th day of February, 1921, proved by her Executrix, Mrs. Frances O'Connell Leyne, of Woodlock, Portlaw, Co. Waterford, on the 15th day of August, 1923, bequeathed the following charitable legacies, viz:—

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GRAIN.

FLOATING GRAIN CARGOES.—BALTIC, Saturday.—WHEAT cargoes fully steady, but demand generally quiet. The Lundy Light, 5,520 tons Rosafe 62¼lbs., 30th July, B/L, sold 43/- to Portugal, and the Celeano, 5,200 tons, comprising 3,000 tons Rosafe wheat, 62½lbs., and balance Plate maize, shipping, shipped, at 41/6 and 32/9, respectively; No. 1 Northern Manitoba October-November sellers 45/6. No. 2 hard winter September-October 42/6, Australian afloat 43/9, choice WK. do. 42/6, Barusso 62½lbs. August-September 40/6. Parcels cargoes for Manitoba with a fair demand; No. 1 Northern Manitoba 15th September sold 46/9, September-October 44/-, October-November 43/6 to 43/9, choice W.K. afloat, sellers 44/-. Australian afloat 46/6 per 480lbs. MAIZE cargoes steady but quiet; Plate afloat 33/3, September-October 32/9, October-November 33/3, Parcel of do. September-October 32/6 per 480lbs. BARLEY cargoes quiet, but at about late rates Parcels slow, unaltered. OATS steady; Plate afloat sellers 30/6, September-October 30/-, No. 2 Canadian Western August-September 25/-, No. 2 feed do. 32/3 per 320lbs.

LIVERPOOL, Saturday.—The sharp rise in Chicago was reflected here, and with continued limited offerings of c.i.f. parcels of Manitoba, speculative positions of wheat were decidedly dearer at the commencement of operations, a demand from "shorts" to cover being experienced, and although slight fluctuations followed, final rates were almost up at the best point. Quiet. No. 1 Manitoba August realised 46/10½, October 44/-, October-November 43/9, Rosario Santa Fe afloat 41/6, 15th September 41/5, Baril just arrived 40/-, per qr. to Liverpool, and No. 2 red winter shipping at 41/- per qr. C.i.f. parcels maize, River Plate, August-September and September-October quoted 32/9 per qr. WHEAT on the spot firm, with Manitoba and winter held for higher prices. MAIZE—Spot parcels unchanged, with American salmon cargo, 9 months old, and River Plate steady at 7/2 to 7/3 per cental. FLOUR firm at the recent improvement. Graded red wheat futures opened 1/8 to 2d. higher, and gained a further 4d. to 4½d. but later receded, and fluctuated moderately, but closed 1d. to 1½d. dearer on the day. Sales—70 loads at 8/8½, 8/8¾, 8/8¾, 8/8¾, 8/8¾, 8/8¾, 8/8¾, 8/8¾, 8/8¾, 8/8¾ for October, and 8/8, 8/8¼, 8/8¼, 8/8¼, 8/8¼, 8/8¼, 8/8¼ for December delivery. Closing prices—Spot, Manitoba No. 2 hard winter, 8/8¾; No. 2 red winter, 8/8¾; No. 2 Northern Spring, 8/8¾; No. 2 Chicago, 8/8¾; No. 2 Australian, 8/8¾; No. 2 Argentine, 8/8¾; No. 2 Rosafe, 8/8¾; No. 2 Plate, 8/8¾; No. 2 Russian, 8/8¾; No. 2 Indian, 8/8¾; No. 2 Roumanian, 8/8¾; No. 2 Bulgarian, 8/8¾; No. 2 Danubian, 8/8¾; No. 2 Turkish, 8/8¾; No. 2 Persian, 8/8¾; No. 2 Egyptian, 8/8¾; No. 2 Smyrna, 8/8¾; No. 2 Syrian, 8/8¾; No. 2 Algerian, 8/8¾; No. 2 Tunisian, 8/8¾; No. 2 Spanish, 8/8¾; No. 2 Portuguese, 8/8¾; No. 2 Italian, 8/8¾; No. 2 Greek, 8/8¾; No. 2 Cyprus, 8/8¾; No. 2 Black Sea, 8/8¾; No. 2 Azof, 8/8¾; No. 2 Caucas

ELECTION GUIDE: FULL LIST OF CANDIDATES.

Below will be found a revised list of the candidates for the 150 contested seats in the Dail. An * indicates member of the late Dail and a † those interned or in prison.

CORK CITY (5 SEATS).

CUMANN NA nGAEDHEAL (2).
*J. J. WALSH.
Professor A. O'RAHILLY.
REPUBLICAN (3).
*MISS MARY MacSWINEY.
†Dr. LUCEY.
Alderman F. MURRAY.
LABOUR (3).
*R. DAY.
Alderman W. KENNEALLY.
R. S. ANTHONY.
INDEPENDENT BUSINESS (1).
SIR JOHN SCOTT.
PROGRESSIVES (COMMERCIAL AND BUSINESS) (3).
Alderman H. BEAMISH.
A. O'SULLIVAN-HINCHY.
Captain J. COLLINS.
FARMERS (1).
T. CORCORAN.

DUBLIN NORTH (8 SEATS).

CUMANN NA nGAEDHEAL (7).
FRANCIS CAHILL, 156 North Strand road, Alderman for the County Borough of Dublin.
MARGARET COLLINS-O'DRISCOLL, 147 North Circular road, National Teacher.
SEAMUS HUGHES, 15 Iona Park, Secretary.
*SEAN McGARRY, Abbeyville, Cross avenue, Blackrock, Engineer.
PATRICK FRANCIS McINTYRE, 54 Manor place, Commercial Traveller.
*RICHARD JAMES MULCAHY, Lissenfield House, Rathmines, Minister of Defence.
*JAMES WHELAN, 17 Upper Ormond quay, Dublin, and Woodfield, Dundrum, Merchant.
REPUBLICAN (4).
†DAITHI UA DONNCHADHA (O'DONOGHUE), 5 King Edward terrace, Grace Park, Drumcondra, Trustee, Dail Eireann.
HENRY O'HANRAHAN, 384 North Circular road, Clerk.
†SEAN T. O'KELLY, St. Stephen's Green, Gentleman.
†ERNEST O'MALLEY, 7 Iona Drive, Student.
BUSINESS MEN'S PARTY (1).
WILLIAM HEWAT, 86 Northumberland road, Chairman, Thomas Hejton and Co., Ltd.
TRADES COUNCIL (2).
PATRICK THOMAS DALY, 177 Clonliffe road, Deputy Chairman, General Council of County Councils, and Secretary, Dublin Trades Council.
JOHN LAWLOR, 9 Fontenoy street, Cab and Car Proprietor.
LABOUR (1).
EDWARD O'CARROLL, 5 Abbey terrace, Howth, Railway Clerk.
INDEPENDENT (3).
JAMES HUBBARD CLARK, "Invercylde," 4 Iona road, Contractor.
*ALFRED BYRNE, 18 College Green and 23 Dartmouth square, Wholesale Agent, Acting-Lord Mayor.
KEVIN J. KENNY, 379 North Circular road, Merchant.

DUBLIN SOUTH (7 SEATS).

CUMANN NA nGAEDHEAL (5).
*PHILIP COSGRAVE, 174 James's street, Accountant.
*PEADAR S. DOYLE, 159 Emmet road, Inchicore, Mechanical Engineer.
*MICHAEL HAYES, 29 Charleston avenue, Assistant Professor, University College, Dublin.
GEORGE LYONS, 76 Stella Gardens, Irishtown, Insurance Agent.
*DANIEL McCARTHY, 4 Raleigh place, Dolphin's Barn, Parliamentary Secretary.
REPUBLICAN (4).
CONSTANCE DE MARKIEVICZ, 31 Richmond avenue, Drumcondra, lady of independent means.
†CHARLES MURPHY, 4 Sydney terrace, South Circular road, and 144 Great Brunswick street, Financial Secretary.
EDWARD J. O'KELLY, 27 Haddington road, Medical Student.
MICHAEL O'MULLANE, 73 Heytesbury street, Professor.
BUSINESS MEN (2).
WILLIAM McCABE, 26 Rathgar road, County Dublin, Merchant.
JAMES SHANKS, "Charlton," Cowper road, Rathmines, Merchant.
LABOUR (1).
*WILLIAM O'BRIEN, 77 Botanic road, General Treasurer, Irish Transport and General Workers' Union.
TRADES COUNCIL (2).
JOHN JOSEPH FARRELLY, 4 Charlemont Mall, North Strand, Carpenter and Joiner.
EDWARD TUCKER, 47 Rutland square, Brush Maker.
INDEPENDENT (6).
Sir ANDREW BEATTIE, 46 Fitzwilliam square, Merchant.
LAURENCE PATRICK BYRNE, Thomond House Rialto, S.C. road, Director and Journalist.
*MYLES KEOGH, 4 Lower Mount street, and 357 Strand road, Merrion, Physician and Surgeon.
PATRICK MEDLAR, 29 Adelaide road, Funeral Undertaker.
PATRICK JOHN MUNDEN, Irydean, 172 Merrion road, Co. Dublin, Architect.
BERNARD F. SHIELDS, 49 South Circular road, Kilmainham, Professor of Commerce, National University.

COUNTIES.

CARLOW AND KILKENNY (5 SEATS).

CUMANN NA nGAEDHEAL (3).
*PRESIDENT COSGRAVE.
JOHN FRANCIS GIBBONS.
THOMAS BOLGER.
FARMERS (2).
*DENIS GOREY.
EDWARD JOHN BROUGHAN.
REPUBLICAN (2).
MICHAEL SHELLY, Chairman Callan Town Commissioners.
MICHAEL BARRY.
INDEPENDENT (1).
*PATRICK GAFFNEY.
LABOUR (1).
E. DOYLE, Agricultural Worker, Ballon, Co. Carlow.

CAVAN (4 SEATS).

CUMANN NA nGAEDHEAL (3).
*WALTER COLE.
*SEAN MILROY.
THOMAS PATRICK McKENNA.
FARMERS (3).
PATRICK F. BAXTER.
HARRY O'REILLY.
PATRICK J. FARRELLY.
REPUBLICAN (1).
†PATRICK SMITH.
LABOUR (1).
PATRICK SHERIDAN.
FARMERS AND BUSINESS MEN (1).
JOHN JAMES COLE.
INDEPENDENT FARMERS (1).
P. McQUAID.

COUNTY CLARE (5 SEATS).

CUMANN NA nGAEDHEAL (5).
*EOIN MacNEILL, Booterstown, Co. Dublin, Professor.
JAMES O'REGAN, Sixmilebridge, Timber Merchant.
PATRICK M. KELLY, Cloonanagh Cross, Farmer.
PETER O'LOUGHLIN, Laghcloon, Lisconnor, Farmer.
MICHAEL HEHER, Tiermaclane, Ennis, Farmer, lately Brig.-General, National Army.
REPUBLICAN (5).
†*EAMONN de VALERA, Kincora, Claremont road, Dublin, Professor.
KILLMORE, Ballinasloe.
MICHAEL CONSTN, 9 Northbrook road, Leeson Park, Dublin, Senior Counsel.
†FRANK BARRETT, Cahircallamore, Ennis, ex-Master Ennis Union.
†*BRIAN O'HIGGINS, Stormstown House, Ballyman, Co. Dublin, Journalist, late President Carrigaholt Irish College.
THOMAS V. HONAN, Abbey street, Ennis, Merchant, Chairman Ennis Urban Council.
LABOUR (2).
PATRICK HOGAN, Courthouse road, Ennis, Labourer.
PATRICK J. MACNAMARA, the Courthouse, Labourer.
FARMERS (3).
CORNELIUS HOGAN, Coor, Farmer.
BARTHOLOMEW SKEHAN, Fahaymore, Gort, Farmer.
PATRICK RYAN, Knockalough, Farmer.

NORTH CORK (3 SEATS).

REPUBLICAN (1).
*DANIEL CORKERRY.
FARMERS (2).
*DANIEL VAUGHAN.
EDWARD NEVILLE.
COMMERCIAL AND CUMANN NA nGAEDHEAL (1).
JOHN LYNCH.
LABOUR (1).
*T. NAGLE.

WEST CORK (5 SEATS).

FARMERS (3).
T. J. O'DONOVAN.
M. P. BEALY.
D. J. MINIHAN.
CUMANN NA nGAEDHEAL (4).
JOHN PRIOR.
ROBERT KELLY.
DANIEL McCARTHY.
CORNELIUS CONNOLLY.
INDEPENDENT (3).
DAVID CONNOR.
D. O'LEARY.
WILLIAM HALES.
LABOUR (1).
T. J. MURPHY.
NATIONAL DEMOCRATIC PARTY (1).
JOSEPH O'MAHONY.
REPUBLICAN (3).
SEAN BUCKLEY.
MAURICE DONEGAN (?).
SEAN LEHANE.

EAST CORK (5 SEATS).

CUMANN NA nGAEDHEAL (3).
THOMAS MAHONY.
*M. J. HENNESSY.
DANIEL HEGARTY.
FARMERS (3).
*JOHN DINEEN.
W. J. FAHY.
D. L. O'CORMAN.
REPUBLICAN (3).
SEAMUS FITZGERALD.
P. S. MORAN.
*DAVID KENT.
LABOUR (1).
JOHN DALY.

DONEGAL (8 SEATS).

CUMANN NA nGAEDHEAL (5).
*P. J. McGOLDRICK.
*P. J. WARD.
EUGENE O'DOHERTY, Dungloe, retired Civil Servant.
PATRICK McFADDEN, Creeslough, merchant.
HUGH J. O'KELLY, Bundoran, farmer.
FARMERS (4).
ANDREW LOWRY, Clonleigh, North, farmer.
NEIL FAULKNER, Culdaff, Farmers' Union Secretary.
JOHN WHITE, Carndonagh, farmer.
HUGH A. LAW, Dunfanaghy, farmer.
LABOUR (1).
DENIS HOUSTON, Clogher, trade union official
REPUBLICAN (5).
SAMUEL O'FLAHERTY, Castlefin, farmer.
†JOSEPH O'DOHERTY, Londonderry, commercial traveller.
†BRIAN MONAGHAN, Drumkeelan, artisan.
EDWARD GALLEN, Clady, farmer.
†PETER O'DONNELL, Dungloe, teacher.
INDEPENDENT (3).
DANIEL McMENAMIN, B.L., Clogher.
Major J. S. MYLES, Ballyshannon, merchant.
HENRY McGOWAN, Ballyhofey.
RATEPAYERS' ASSOCIATION (1).
MICHAEL McNELIS, Glenties, farmer.

COUNTY DUBLIN (8 SEATS).

CUMANN NA nGAEDHEAL (6).
*KEVIN O'HIGGINS, Minister for Home Affairs.
*DESMOND FITZGERALD, Minister for External Affairs.
*MICHAEL J. DERHAM, Shop Manager, Ballybrigan.
BARTHOLOMEW O'CONNOR, 30 Eglinton road, Dublin, Builder.
JOHN B. HEALY, 46 Ulverton road, Dalkey, Accountant.
MICHAEL W. O'REILLY, 143 Leinster road, Rathmines, Insurance Manager.
REPUBLICAN (4).
†SEAN McENTEE, 42 Marlborough road, Dublin, Engineer.
JOHN MURPHY, 18 Garville terrace, Rathmines, Secretary.
PHILIP RYAN, Ashbourne road, Finglas, Commercial Traveller.
KATHLEEN M. LYNN, 9 Belgrave road, Rathmines, Medical Practitioner.
FARMERS (2).
JOHN ROONEY, Ballyboghill, Farmer.
JOHN FITZSIMONS (Junior), Stapolin House, Baldoyle, Farmer and Medical Practitioner.
BUSINESS MAN (2).
JOHN GOOD, "The Moorings," Merrion road, Dublin, Building Contractor.
DAVID BARRY, Belview Park, Killiney, General Manager of a public company.
LABOUR (2).
*THOMAS JOHNSON, 53 Edenvale road, Ranelagh, Secretary, Irish Labour Party.
BERNARD KAVANAGH, 55 Stella Gardens, Pembroke, Railway Employé.
INDEPENDENT (5).
JOHN P. McCABE, Blackrock, Merchant.
BRYAN R. COOPER, "Khyber Pass," Dalkey, late Major, Connaught Rangers.
JAMES S. AHNE, 19 Merrion square, Physician and Surgeon.
*DARRELL FIGGIS, 24 Kildare street, Dublin, Author.
*GEORGE GAVAN DUFFY, 39 Mespil road, Pembroke, Barrister.

GALWAY (9 SEATS).

CUMANN NA nGAEDHEAL (9).
*PATRICK J. HOGAN, Solicitor and Farmer, Loughrea.
*PADRAIG O'MAILLE, Farmer, East Maam.
*GEORGE NICHOLLS, Solicitor, 2 University road, Galway.
MICHAEL TIERNEY, Professor, University College, Dublin, Author.
JOHN BRODERICK, Farmer and Contractor, Athenry.
PATRICK GURLEY, Farmer and Merchant, Ballinasloe.
THOMAS DILLON, University Professor, Dangan, Co. Galway.
WILLIAM DOLLY, Farmer, Moniview, Athenry.
JOHN QUINN, Solicitor, Tuam.
FARMERS (5).
PATRICK D. CONROY, Garafin, Rosmuck.
MARTIN FINNERTY, Knockboy, Colemanstown.
MARTIN E. EGAN, Killinadreema, Loughrea.
JAMES HAVERTY, Moyloughran.
MICHAEL O'BRIEN, Tuam.
REPUBLICAN (4).
†HERBERT S. MELLOWS, Journalist, 21 Mountshannon road, Kilmainham, Dublin.
LOUIS E. O'DEA, Solicitor, Eyre square, Galway.
*FRANK FAHY, Secretary of the Gaelic League, 25 Rutland square, Dublin.
†COLM O'GEARY, Teacher of Irish, Inver, Rosmuck.
INDEPENDENTS (2).
ANTHONY J. FALLON, LL.B., Soliciter, Galway.
JAMES OSSGRAVE, Farmer, Eyrecourt.
LABOUR (2).
*THOMAS J. O'CONNELL, General Secretary, I.N.T.G. 9 Gardiner's place, Dublin.
JOHN McNALLY, Sawyer, Ballinasloe.
TOWN TENANTS (1).
THOMAS SLOYAN, Commercial Agent, Tuam.
UNPURCHASED TENANTS (1).
JAMES J. HOBAN, Farmer, Kiltomer, Ballinasloe.

COUNTY KERRY (7 SEATS).

CUMANN NA nGAEDHEAL (4).
JAMES CROWLEY.
THOMAS DENEHY.
FINIAN LYNCH.
Professor O'SULLIVAN.
FARMERS (2).
JOHN O'NEILL.
DENIS BROSNAN.
LABOUR (2).
GORMACK WALSH.
PATRICK CASEY.
REPUBLICAN (4).
†AUSTIN STACK.
†P. DAHILL.
THOMAS McELLISTRUM.
†T. O'DONOHUE.
INDEPENDENT (3).
T. O'DONNELL, Barrister-at-Law.
E. J. GLEESON.
J. McSWEENEY.

KILDARE (3 SEATS).

CUMANN NA nGAEDHEAL (3).
GEORGE WOLFE, Forenaughts, Naas, Farmer.
SIMON MALONE, Clonmoyle, Rathangan, Farmer.
THOMAS LAWLER, Halverstown, Naas, Farmer.
REPUBLICAN (3).
D. BUCKLEY, Maynooth, Merchant.
†ART O'CONNOR, Celbridge, Civil Engineer.
†THOMAS HARRIS, Caragh, Naas, Farmer.
FARMERS (1).
JOHN CONLAN, Thornton, Dunlavin, Farmer.
LABOUR (2).
*HUGH COLOHAN, Rowan terrace, Newbridge, Bricklayer.
M. MYTH, George's street, Newbridge, Trade Union Secretary.

LEITRIM-SLIGO (7 SEATS).

CUMANN NA nGAEDHEAL (6).
*ALEC McCABE, Ballymote, ex-National teacher.
*THOMAS O'DONNELL, Mahanagh, farmer.
*JAMES M. DOLAN, Manorhamilton, merchant.
*THOMAS CARTER, Ardrumaghan, Co. Leitrim, farmer.
JOHN HENNIGAN, Cartronmore, farmer.
J. A. O'CONNELL, Sligo, gentleman.
FARMERS (4).
Mr. MARTIN RODDY, Breccgse, Co. Sligo, farmer.
Mr. JAMES GILLIGAN, Lavagh, Ballymote, farmer.
JAMES ROURKE, Carrigallen, Co. Leitrim, farmer.
P. O'NEILL, Peyten, Co. Leitrim, farmer.
INDEPENDENT FARMER (1).
L. HAYDEN, Ballinamore, Co. Leitrim, secretary Leitrim Farmers' Union.
LABOUR (1).
†Alderman JOHN LYNCH, Newbridge Military Camp, President Sligo Branch I.T. and G.W.U.
INDEPENDENT LABOUR AND PRO-TREATY (1).
Mr. H. DEPEW, 58 John street, Sligo, carpenter.
REPUBLICAN (5).
†*FRANK CARTY, Ballinacarrow, Ballymote, farmer.
†LIAM PILKINGTON, Mountjoy Jail, Dublin, watchmaker.
MARTIN McGOWAN, Aghamore, Co. Leitrim, National school teacher.
SEAN FARRELL, Drumard, Co. Leitrim, Irish teacher.
†D. A. MULDARY, Custume Barracks, Athlone, Principal, Sligo Technical Schools.

LEIX-OFFALY (5 SEATS).

CUMANN NA nGAEDHEAL (3).
SEAN O'KELLY.
PATRICK J. EGAN.
*FRANCIS BULFIN.
FARMERS (3).
DANIEL KENNEDY.
PATRICK J. BIRMINGHAM.
FRANCIS A. BOORLEY.
NATIONAL DEMOCRATIC PARTY (2).
JOSEPH DELANY.
P. BELTON.
REPUBLICAN (3).
LAURENCE BRADY.
JOHN McGUINNESS.
PATRICK GORRY.
LABOUR (2).
*WILLIAM DAVIN.
DENIS GALLEN.
TOWN TENANTS (1).
ANDREW BYRNE.

LIMERICK (7 SEATS).

CUMANN NA nGAEDHEAL (5).
*RICHARD HAYES, Medical Doctor, Lansdowne road, Dublin.
JAMES LEDDEN, Upholsterer, William street, Limerick.
JOHN A. SMYTH, Farmer, Rathanny, Hospital.
JOHN T. NOLAN, Farmer, South Chore, Feyree.
PATRICK WALSH, Farmer, Bilboa, Cappamore.
FARMERS (4).
BARTHOLOMEW LAFFAN, Farmer, Killonan, Cahereonlish.
PATRICK K. HOGAN, Farmer, Rathjordan, Herbertstown.
WILLIAM H. O'BRIEN, Farmer and Auctioneer, Coolfomin, Shanagolden.
JOHN QUAIDE, Farmer, Cloonlar.
LABOUR (4).
PATRICK CLANCY, Carpenter, Grange.
MATTHEW MURPHY, Junior, Labourer, Knockaderry.
MICHAEL KEYES, Carpenter, Mulgrave street, Limerick.
SEAN O'BRIEN, Labour Organiser, Mount Kennett House, Limerick.
REPUBLICAN (4).
*KATE O'CALLAGHAN, Widow, St. Margaret's Villas, Limerick.
*MICHAEL COLIVEY, Accountant, 1 Castleview Gardens, Limerick.
JAMES COLBERT, Farmer, Templeathea, Athea.
EAMONN CARROLL, Labourer, Castleconnell.
INDEPENDENT (3).
WILLIAM J. LARKIN, President, Irish Tenants' Association and Limerick City Workers' Housing Association, 27 Sherrard avenue, Dublin.
MICHAEL R. OLERY, Medical Doctor, Hospital.
ANTHONY MACKEY, Farmer and Business Man, The Fisheries, Castleconnell.

COUNTY LOUTH (3 SEATS).

CUMANN NA nGAEDHEAL (2).
*PETER HUGHES, Publican, Dundalk.
*JAMES MURPHY, Draper, Drogheda.
REPUBLICAN (1).
†FRANK AIKEN.
*CATHAL O'SHANNON.
FARMERS (1).
PATRICK McGEE, Auctioneer and Farmer.

LONGFORD-WESTMEATH (5 SEATS).

CUMANN NA nGAEDHEAL (3).
P. W. SHAW, Mullingar, Merchant.
JAMES GARRIGY, Robinstown, Farmer.
*FRANK McGUINNESS, Longford, Draper.
REPUBLICAN (4).
Dr. BYRNE, Ballymacarry, Medical Practitioner.
J. J. KILLEEN, Ballinalee, Farmer.
T. GALVIN, Rochford Bridge, Farmer.
J. VICTORY, Edgeworthstown, Farmer.
FARMERS (4).
P. R. McKENNA, Gilgarrip House, Streamstown, Farmer.
THOMAS GROARKE, Drumcree, Farmer.
H. GARNAHAN, Ballymahon, Farmer.
P. PHILLIPS, Edgeworthstown, Farmer.
LABOUR (2).
T. J. REDMOND, Mullingar, Union Organiser.
H. WILSON, Longford, Clerk.
NATIONAL DEMOCRATIC PARTY (1).
SEAN O'FARRELL, Drombeds, School Teacher.
INDEPENDENT LABOUR (1).
J. LYONS, Monte.

SOUTH MAYO (5 SEATS).

CUMANN NA nGAEDHEAL (4).
*WILLIAM SEARS, 74 Leinster road, Rathmines, Dublin, Journalist.
C. BEWLEY, B.L., 89 Merrion square, Dublin.
M. M. NALLY, Claremorris, Farmer.
*J. McBRIDE, Westport, Secretary, Westport Harbour Board.
FARMERS (3).
P. F. TUOHY, Ballintubber, Castlebar, Farmer.
REPUBLICAN (3).
†MICHAEL KILROY, Newport and Mountjoy Jail, Coachbuilder.
THOMAS MAGUIRE, Cong, Farmer, and O.C., 2nd Western Division, I.R.A.
†THOMAS DERRIG, Westport and Mountjoy Jail, Commercial Instructor.
LABOUR (1).
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR, 21 Lower St. Brigid's road, Drumcondra, Dublin, Labour Organiser.
INDEPENDENT (1).
P. J. O'MALLEY, Ormond Hotel, Dublin, Hotel Proprietor.

NORTH MAYO (4 SEATS).

CUMANN NA nGAEDHEAL (4).
JOSEPH McGRATH, Minister of Industry.
HENRY ROYLE.
T. J. RUANE.
PATRICK O'HARA.
REPUBLICAN (4).
*P. J. RUTLEDGE, Ballina.
*DR. J. CROWLEY, Ballycastle.
M. KEAVENEY, Kiltala.
JOSEPH KELLY, Ballaghaderreen.
FARMERS (2).
CHARLES FLYNN.
T. J. O'SULLIVAN.
LABOUR (1).
ARMIN HERON.
INDEPENDENT (1).
OLIVER J. O'CONNOR.

MEATH (3 SEATS).

CUMANN NA nGAEDHEAL (2).
*EDMUND JOHN DUGGAN, solicitor, West View, Greystones, County Wicklow.
THOMAS CLINTON, farmer, Waterstown, Moynalty.
LABOUR (2).
DAVID HALL, agricultural worker, Cultranier, Drumree.
CHRISTOPHER MATTHEWS, Secretary, Irish Transport Workers' Union, North Commons, Trim.
FARMERS (1).
PATRICK J. MULVANEY, farmer and auctioneer, Ballinlough, Dunshaughlin.
REPUBLICAN (1).
*JOHN J. O'KELLY, journalist, 173 Botanic road, Glasnevin.
INDEPENDENT (1).
*PATRICK WHITE, farmer, Clonalvy, Balbriggan.

COUNTY MONAGHAN (3 SEATS).

CUMANN NA nGAEDHEAL (2).
*ERNEST BLYTHE, Belmont, Sandford road, Ranelagh, Co. Dublin, Minister for Local Government.
PATRICK DUFFY, Dhahamlet, Farmer and mechanic.
REPUBLICAN (1).
†*PATRICK McGARVILL, Medical Doctor, at present in prison.
FARMERS (1).
HUGH MAGUIRE, Scots House, Clones.
INDEPENDENT FARMERS (2).
JAMES A. BARNES.
JAMES JOHNSTON.
LABOUR AND TOWN TENANTS (1).
JAMES COBURN, Dundalk.

ROSCOMMON (4 SEATS).

CUMANN NA nGAEDHEAL (4).
*ANDREW LAVIN, Ballyfarnon.
JOSEPH M. DORN, Clogher, Kilmore.
HENRY JOSEPH FINLAY, Roscommon.
PATRICK RYAN, Castlerea.
FARMERS (3).
MICHAEL O'BRENNAN, Correal, Roscommon.
EDWARD ULYNE, Kilglass, Strokestown.
JOHN DRURY, Ardsallagh, Boyle.
REPUBLICAN (4).
*Count PLUNKETT.
†SEAMUS MORAN.
†GERALD DAVIS.
†GERALD BOLAND.
LABOUR (1).
WILLIAM KELLEHER (N.U.R.).
INDEPENDENT (2).
JASPER TULLY, Boyle.
HENRY M. FITZGIBBON, Castlerea.

TIPPERARY (7 SEATS).

CUMANN NA nGAEDHEAL (5).
*JAMES A. BOURKE, Barrister-at-Law, Roscrea.
LOUIS JOSEPH DALTON, Merchant, Tipperary.
MARTIN DWYER, Clones, Co. Meath, Farmer.
MICHAEL R. HEFFERNAN, Cuckoo-hill, Cahir, Organising Secretary, Irish Farmers' Union, South Tipperary Association.
JOHN PATRICK McGURTIN, Convict Prison, Aberdeen, Colonel-Commandant.
FARMERS (4).
MARTIN MEAGHER, Soir-side House, Kilough, Templemore, Farmer.
*PETER PAUL MOLONEY, Gurtdrum, Limerick Junction, Farmer.
JOHN O'MEARA, Moonfin, Farmer.
PATRICK L. RYAN, Ronsleytown House, Tipperary, Auctioneer and Farmer.
REPUBLICAN (5).
WILLIAM QUIRKE, Ballinard, Farmer.
†DANIEL BREEN, Grange, Donahill, Limerick Junction, retired Railway Employé.
†PATRICK RYAN, Knockfume, Farmer.
LABOUR (2).
*DANIEL MORRISSEY, Ormond street, Nenagh, Insurance Agent.
PATRICK DOHERTY, Dillon street, Tipperary, Organiser, Transport Workers' Union.
INDEPENDENT LABOUR (1).
WILLIAM GLEESON, Rathnaleen, Nenagh, Labourer.

WATERFORD (4 SEATS).

CUMANN NA nGAEDHEAL (2).
*Dr. VINCENT J. WHITE, Medical Practitioner Barronstrand street, Waterford.
MICHAEL BRENNOCK, Victualler, The Square, Dungarvan.
FARMERS (2).
NICHOLAS WALL, Farmer, Kilnagrange, Kilmacthomas.
GARRETT FLAVIN, Farmer, Clashmore.
LABOUR (2).
*JOHN BUTLER, Dungarvan, Trade Union Official.
JAMES BAIRD, Lady lane, Waterford, Trade Union Official.
REPUBLICAN (1).
Mrs. CAITLIN BRUGHA, 8 Fitzwilliam terrace, Rathmines, Dublin.
INDEPENDENT (2).
Captain WILLIAM A. REDMOND, D.S.O., Aughavanagh, Aughrim, Co. Wicklow, Barrister-at-Law.
Colonel R. H. KEANE, Portwilliam, Glencairn, Waterford, Bacon Curer.

WEXFORD (5 SEATS).

CUMANN NA nGAEDHEAL (2).
OSMOND GRATTAN ESMONDE, Ballynaskeagh, Gorey, gentleman.
THOMAS McCARTHY, Enniscorthy, merchant.
FARMERS (2).
MICHAEL DOYLE, Toldern, farmer.
MICHAEL JORDAN, Ballyhamilton, farmer.
LABOUR (3).
*ALDERMAN R. CORISH, Wexford, Trade Union Official.
*B. O'CALLAGHAN, Enniscorthy, railway clerk.
J. SHANNON, Rathnure, timber feller.
REPUBLICAN (2).
†DR. JAMES RYAN, Harcourt street, Dublin, medical practitioner.
ROBERT LAMBERT, Ballydicken, Upper Kyle, farmer.
INDEPENDENT (3).
JOHN CUMMINS (Evicted Tenants), Ballyhack, merchant.
HECTOR HUGHES (Business), Avondale road, Dublin, barrister-at-law.
*R. BRERETON BARRY, Fitzwilliam place, Dublin, barrister-at-law.

HOW TO VOTE.

DO NOT "PLUMP."

SOME HINTS TO THE ELECTORS.

Vote for the Candidates by numbering them in the order of your preference.

Do not limit your preferences to the number of seats.

"Plumping" does not help a candidate, and may result in the defeat of candidates whom you would prefer to see elected in the event of the non-return of your first choice.

The following is a specimen Election Paper for 5 Vacancies:—

PREFERENCES.	CANDIDATES' NAMES.
3	ADAMS, John, Merchant.
1	BROWN, James, Engineer.
4	CREAN, Sarah, Spinster.
5	DONOVAN, Patrick, Accountant.
	KELLY, Timothy, Solicitor.
2	LYNCH, Peter, Mill Owner.
	O'MAHONY, Edward, Farmer.
6	YOUNG, Margaret, Teacher.

DO NOT mark your Ballot with X.
DO NOT put the figure 1 against more than one name.
DO NOT make a mark except the figures.

INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTERS.

The only instruction contained in the ballot paper itself is that printed at the head of the left-hand column—"Mark order of preference in spaces below." The elector may mark as many or as few candidates as he wishes; he may number them all. These instructions posted in the polling compartments are as follows:—

(a) Place the figure 1 opposite the name of the candidate you most desire to see elected.
(b) Place the figure 2 opposite your second choice.
(c) Place the figure 3 opposite your third choice.
(d) Place the figure 4 opposite your fourth choice.
(e) Go on numbering the candidates until you are quite indifferent as to the others.

It is of special importance that the elector who wants to make effective use of his vote should mark a considerable number of preferences. There are many candidates standing who have much in common, and the votes of like-minded citizens will be "split" amongst them. This "splitting" of votes will lead to a loss of seats unless these votes can, when the transfers take place, be concentrated on a smaller number.

A candidate to ensure success must poll a "quota." In County Dublin there may be as many as 81,000 valid votes, and, if so, the quota, one more than a ninth, will be 9,001 votes.

It is conceivable that five candidates, all having nearly similar views, may poll 2,500, 2,250, 2,000, 1,750 and 501 votes, respectively. These five candidates will have polled between them a full quota, but these votes will be valueless if their supporters have merely "plumped"—have given "No. 1" choice only. If, however, their supporters have marked preferences amongst all the five candidates, the votes for the lowest candidate, when he is declared defeated, will be transferred to and made effective for the next choices expressed on his papers. This process of transfer will be continued until the votes are concentrated upon one of the five candidates.

Thus, electors, if they "plump," may waste their votes; by marking choices they can make sure of the return of one of the candidates they desire to see elected.

In County Dublin there will be many transfers. The elector should study the ballot paper and make up his mind before Monday as to how many candidates he will mark and as to the order in which he will give his preferences. Some Republicans will, doubtless, mark choices for all Government candidates. Pro-Treaty electors might with equal advantage mark preferences for all but anti-Treaty candidates.

In the City of Dublin and in the other constituencies there will also be many transfers. Electors everywhere should use to the full the privilege of marking their choices, and for this purpose should examine now the list of candidates in their own constituency.

IRISH ELECTORATE.

COUNTY AND BOROUGH REGISTERS.

The following list gives the number of voters on the different registers:—

	Men.	Women.	Total.
COUNTY BOROUGHS.			
Cork	—	— estimated	64,000
Dublin—North	—	—	74,847
,, South	—	—	78,017
COUNTIES.			
Carlow-Kilkenny	34,409	28,438	62,937
Cavan	51,306	25,798	55,104
Clare	35,118	25,377	58,495
Cork—North	—	— estimated	34,000
,, West	—	— ,,	70,000
,, East	—	— ,,	67,000
Donegal	55,313	41,764	96,977
Dublin	—	—	97,167
Galway	—	—	106,000
Kerry	50,464	39,692	90,156
Kildare	21,246	14,366	35,612
Leitrim-Sligo	46,003	35,438	81,441
Leix-Offaly	36,196	28,015	64,211
Limerick	—	—	79,340
Longford-Westmeath	33,006	25,878	58,884
Louth	20,884	17,664	38,548
Mayo—North	30,469	23,230	53,719
,, South	33,042	25,471	58,513
Meath	—	— estimated	36,000
Monaghan	22,352	17,820	40,172
Roscommon	30,147	23,563	53,710
Tipperary	48,019	38,684	86,703
Waterford	24,407	21,352	45,849
Wexford	33,424	26,747	60,171
Wicklow	19,878	16,875	36,753
UNIVERSITIES.			
Dublin Univ.	—	— estimated	1,400
National Univ.	—	—	1,567
Total Electorate			1,789,293

WICKLOW (3 SEATS).

CUMANN NA nGAEDHEAL (1).
*C. M. BYRNE.
FARMERS (1).
RICHARD WILSON.
LABOUR (2).
*JAMES EVERETT.
CHARLES GAULE.
RATEPAYERS' ASSOCIATION (1).
Colonel S. MOORE.
REPUBLICAN (1).
†*R. C. BARTON.

NATIONAL UNIVERSITY (3 SEATS).

INDEPENDENT (1).
Miss AGNES O'FARRELLY, M.A., 26 Richfield road, Rathmines, University Lecturer.
GRADUATES' CONSTITUENCY (2).
*Professor EOIN MacNEILL, D.Litt., Netley, South Hill avenue, Blackrock, Co. Dublin; Professor, National University of Ireland, and Minister of Education.
*Mr. MICHAEL HAYES, M.A. (Speaker), 29 Charleston avenue, Rathmines; Assistant to the Professor of French in University College.
*Professor WILLIAM MAGENNIS, M.A., 3 Herbert street, Dublin.
REPUBLICAN (2).
Professor HUGH RYAN, M.A., D.Sc., St. Brendan's, Cross avenue, Booterstown.
Professor WILLIAM F. P. STOCKLEY, M.A., Woodside Tivoli, Cork.

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TO THE PEOPLE OF IRELAND.

Every obstacle has been placed in the way to prevent you exercising your right as citizens and your free choice as custodians of your imperishable nationhood. The so-called "Free Election" campaign, which has culminated in the arrest and imprisonment of your National Leader, Eamon de Valera, and the harassing of Republicans, is proof of this.

On your protest to-day depends the happiness and welfare of those of your bravest who are held in bondage.

On your protest depends the whole future of the national position—whether prudent statesmanship or penal and uncurbed repression is to hold sway over the land.

Do not let the unscrupulous devices of your opponents dishearten or intimidate you. Stand steadfastly against all provocation, and with a disciplined and unflinching determination record your protest against the unnatural means employed to break your unconquerable spirit.

PADRAIG O'RUITHLEIS.

August 27th, 1923.

Published by Re-Organising Committee of Sinn Fein, 23 Suffolk street, Dublin.

POLLING DAY HINTS.

The following hints to voters, and particulars of penalties for electoral abuses, are issued by the Free State Publicity Department:—

TIME FOR POLLING.

Under the Electoral Act, the poll commences at 9 a.m. to-day and closes at 7 p.m. No person can vote after that hour.

BLIND AND ILLITERATE.

Any person who satisfies the presiding officer that his sight is so impaired or that he is so illiterate as to be unable to mark his paper himself can have his vote marked for him.

It is essential that all blind and illiterate persons should be at the polling booth before 5 o'clock. If they come later, and there are a number of electors coming in to vote, the presiding officers need not mark the papers for them and they may lose their votes.

SECRECY OF VOTING.

Except where a person is blind or illiterate, no person may either help an elector to vote or see how he has voted. If any person attempts to interfere with an elector marking his paper, to see how he has voted, that person will be liable on summary conviction to imprisonment.

WHERE TO VOTE.

The registers are open for inspection at the office of the registration officers and at the principal post offices. Persons should inspect the register to see if they are registered. They should take particular note of their number and the polling district letter. They will be able to see at once from the posters published by the returning officer the place where they are to vote. This is specially important in Dublin, Cork, Limerick, and Waterford, as the new polling districts are now small groups of streets.

The posters contain the register numbers (with letters) of the electors who vote in each booth in each polling station.

For example, suppose an elector's number is 150 and the letters EA, he will see on the poster, published locally, that electors EA 1—500 will poll at booth No. 1 at a certain school or building, and if he goes to that place to-day he will get a ballot paper. There is no use in going to any other place.

The importance of this polling district letter cannot be too strongly impressed on candidates and agents in making their own arrangements, in view

PUBLIC AMUSEMENTS.

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To-night, at 7.45, and Tues., Wed., and Sat. Nights, THE FAMOUS ACTRESS,
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Followed by Scene 2, Act 4, Shakespeare's "HENRY VIII."
Thurs. and Friday Evgs., "JANE CLEGG,"
Followed by Scene 2, Act 4, Shakespeare's "HENRY VIII."
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USUAL PRICES. BOX OFFICE AT THEATRE.

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PRINCESS, RATHMINES.
"THE OATH,"
Featuring MIRIAM COOPER.

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TO-DAY, TUESDAY and WEDNESDAY,
WILLIAM DUNCAN and EDITH JOHNSON in
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TO-DAY,
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CORINNE GRIFFITH
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ALL-ARMY CHAMPIONSHIPS
1923.
PROGRAMME
FOR
TO-DAY (MONDAY)
AND
TO-MORROW (TUESDAY).

OWING to the Elections to-day will be a quiet day. Only the Golf Championships will be decided at the Hermitage Golf Links, Lucan. To-morrow the full Championship Programme will be resumed. There will be Handball at Ballymun at 10 a.m. Admission 1/-. Hurling and Football at Croke Park, and Boxing at the Rotunda in the evening.

BOXING.—At the Round Room, Rotunda, on Tuesday. Doors open 6.30. Commencing 7.15. Admission 5/-, 3/-, 2/-, 1/6.

HURLING AND FOOTBALL.—First Semi-Final All-Army Championships. Hurling—Dublin Command v. Independent Services. Football—G.H.Q. v. Curragh Command. First match at 3 o'clock sharp. Admission 1/- and 2/-. Boys' Gate 1/-. Grand Stand 1/- extra.

SEE THE GREAT INTER-COMPANY DRILL CONTEST in the 15 Acres, Phoenix Park, August 28, 29, 30, and Sept. 1. 4,000 picked men competing. Military Bands each day.

THE PICK OF IRELAND'S ARMY IS COMPETING.
K.A.A.

THE DUBLIN BRANCH OF THE B.E. SHAKESPEARE SOCIETY.
FRIDAY, AUGUST 31st, at 3 p.m.
MISS SYBIL THORNDIKE
AND
MR. LEWIS CASSON
HAVE KINDLY CONSENTED TO GIVE READINGS FROM SHAKESPEARE'S "AS YOU LIKE IT" AND "MACBETH."
FULL PARTICULARS LATER.

ELECTION ADDRESSES & NOTICES.

CUMANN NA nGAEDHEAL.
Parnell Square, Dublin,
25th August, 1923.

A Chara,—
In common with other candidates for Monday's Elections, the undersigned have received statements for endorsement of the aims and objects of the following bodies:—
Civil Service Federation.
Catholic Total Abstinence Federation of Ireland.
Irish Women Citizens' and L.G. Association.
Anglo-Irish War Victims' Association.
United Irish Fieldholders' Union.
L.G. Officials' Trade Union.
Legion of Irish Ex-Service Men.
The Irish Nurses' and Midwives' Union.
The Irish Mental Hospital Workers' Union.
The Licensed in Added Areas.
All-Ireland Town Tenants' League.

While fully in favour of many of the projects put forward by these Associations, we find it impossible to reply to each of them individually. We come before the electors pledged to the published programme of Cumann na nGaedheal, which includes many of these demands, and, if elected, we shall do our best, in conjunction with our Parliamentary colleagues, to have them carried into effect. We cannot, however, undertake to enter Parliament as hamper-bearers of all these interests, since our hands must be free above all to work for the major national purpose which are the primary concern of Cumann na nGaedheal, and the decision of which will be vital for the entire country, including members of these Associations.

We undertake, however, to carefully consider the proposals of each body, and to bring forward or legislation as much as these objects as we can get accepted by the Government.

CAHILL, Alderman Frank, 167 North Strand.
COLLINS-O'DRISCOLL, Mrs. M., 147 North Circular road.
HUGHES, Seumas, 19 Iona Park.
McGARRY, Sean.
McINTYRE, Patrick, T.C., 24 Manor place.
MULCAHY, Richard, Minister of Defence.
WHELAN, James, 14 Lower Ormond quay.

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PUBLIC AMUSEMENTS.

THEATRE ROYAL.
6.45 ..... TWICE NIGHTLY ..... 9.0.
BERT ERROL.
THE SWANEE MINSTRELS.
DONALD MACKAY.
LES ZIOS. The TWO ALBERTS. The DELVAINES.
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The Story of an Innocent Girl—an Adventurer—and a narrow escape from tragedy!
NEW MERMAID AND SUNSHINE COMEDIES.
Inkwell Cartoon Comedy. Pictorial. Gazette.

LA SCALA THEATRE.
TO-DAY ..... 3 o'c—10.30 ..... CONTINUOUS.
MAE MARSH
IN HER LATEST RELEASE,
"TILL WE MEET AGAIN."
NEXT WEEK. NEXT WEEK.
D. W. GRIFFITH'S MASTER-PIECE,
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ELECTION ADDRESSES & NOTICES.

TO MY OLD FRIENDS,
THE COUNTY DUBLIN ELECTORS:
Sioctáin agus Cothoim na Féinne!

MY record is before you since first you honoured me with your confidence in 1918—As Secretary to the Cabinet, as Envoy Abroad, as Plenipotentiary and Treaty Signatory, as Minister, and in the late Dail pleading for Justice, I have striven to do my duty to you and to Ireland, regardless of personal interest and indifferent to personal abuse.

I STAND FOR A POLICY OF GOOD-WILL AND FAIR PLAY

to blot out a year of nightmare. Great and urgent problems clamour for attention, but there can be scanty reform without money, scanty money without credit, and scanty credit without peace. We must build up our country ON THE SECURE FOUNDATION OF NATIONAL PEACE.

By voting in our thousands thus:—

1	GAVAN DUFFY, George

We shall proclaim this message of high hope:
"PEACE HEADS THE POLL IN COUNTY DUBLIN."
Seórsa Gabánac Ó Dubhtaig,
(G. GAVAN DUFFY),
39 Mespil road, Pembroke. K.A.A.

THE LEGION OF IRISH EX-SERVICE MEN.

The following Candidates for Parliamentary Election have accepted the Legion Programme as set out hereunder, and Ex-Service men are requested to support them on polling day:—

DUBLIN COUNTY.
MAJOR BRYAN B. COOPER, Independent.
DR. J. S. ASHE, Independent.
J. FITZSIMONS, (Junior), Farmer.
JOHN P. McCABE, Independent.

DUBLIN NORTH.
ALD. J. H. CLARKE, Independent.
KEVIN J. KENNY, Independent.

DUBLIN SOUTH.
SIR ANDREW BEATTIE, Independent.
DR. MYLES KEOGH, Independent.
PATRICK MEDLAR, Independent.
PATRICK J. MUNDEN, Independent.

LONGFORD-WESTMEATH.
P. W. SHAW, Cumann na nGaedheal.

WATERFORD.
CAPTAIN W. A. REDMOND, D.S.O., Independent.
JOHN BUTLER, Labour.
JAMES BAIRD, Labour.

WEXFORD.
ALD. E. CORISH, Labour.

GALWAY.
ANTHONY J. FALLON, LL.B. Independent.
THOMAS SLOYAN, Town Tenants.

The undertaking signed by the above-mentioned Candidates is as follows:—

I agree that if elected to Dail Eireann:—
1.—I will use my influence and position in the Irish Parliament to obtain from the British Government a just and equitable fulfilment of the claims of Irish Ex-Service men.
2.—I will avail of every opportunity to ensure that past services in the British Forces will not militate against such men in regard to employment and other matters affecting them.
3.—I will oppose any attempt at interference by the Irish Government with Pensions and Housing of Ex-Service men, and I undertake to see that services at present reserved to the British Government will remain so, unless and until, the Legion desires a change.
4.—That I will further the interests of Ex-Service men on all occasions, and endeavour to have suitable Ex-Service men accepted for service with the Irish Military and Police Forces.
5.—That I will endeavour to have all appointments to the Government Service made by Competitive Examination.

SINN FEIN.

NORTH DUBLIN CONSTITUENCY.

Will Owners of Cars (Motor or Horse) willing to lend same for Polling Day communicate with the Sinn Fein Committee Rooms in their district.

COMMITTEE ROOMS—
Corona Theatre, Parnell street; 4 Lower Buckingham street; 15 Fairview Strand; 164 North King street; 58 Richmond road; 6 De Courcy square, Glasnevin; Denmark House, North Great George's street; and 182 Phibsborough road.

The Irish Times.

MONDAY, AUGUST 27, 1923.

NEWS SUMMARY.

IRELAND.

Yesterday President Cosgrave addressed seven election meetings in South Kilkenny, the last being in Callan, where he had an enthusiastic reception.

A big demonstration in support of Republican candidates took place last night in Sackville street, Dublin.

The Dublin Business Men's candidates on Saturday night addressed a successful meeting in the ex-Service Men's Hall, Sandymount.

No less than seventy election meetings took place in County Clare yesterday.

Fishing boats were swamped off the coast of County Cork and in Lough Neagh on Friday and eight men drowned.

Speaking at an Orange demonstration at Comber on Saturday, Mr. J. M. Andrews, the Northern Minister of Labour, said that the legislative union of Ireland was unthinkable because of local conditions, and also because it would involve separation from Great Britain.

Shots were fired in the streets of Waterford on Saturday night, and Captain Redmond's procession was dispersed.

ABROAD

Father O'Flanagan and Mr. O'Kelly, the Republican envoys to Australia, who were expelled from that country, were interviewed on arrival at Marseilles yesterday. The complain that they were victimised.

Count Uchida, who was made Premier *ad interim* of Japan on Saturday, presented the resignation of himself and the Cabinet yesterday.

The French have made many big seizures of marks in the Ruhr.

Mr. Baldwin arrived in Paris yesterday.

SPORTING.

At Hurst Park on Saturday Envoy won the Maze Handicap Plate.

Last Words to Voters.

Any citizen of the Free State who is still ignorant of the issues that the country's vote will decide to-day must be very stupid or very careless. The paramount issue is the existence of the State which was established, and has been defended during the past year, by President Cosgrave's Government. The Government has made some mistakes, but it has rendered incalculable service to the nation. It has revived the law, has given normal safety to life and property, and has laid foundations of social and economic progress. For this work alone the Government deserves a renewal of the people's confidence; but there is another reason why all sensible citizens must support it at the polls. The peace which Mr. Cosgrave and his Executive have restored to Ireland is not yet absolutely secure. The Free State's enemies are "down," but not "out." Their arms are "dumped," but not surrendered. The creation of a feeble and divided Government, as a result of to-day's elections, would be the signal for an immediate renewal of their disastrous activities. It is, therefore, as Senator Andrew Jameson has said, the plain duty of all peace-loving electors of all the constitutional parties to return Mr. Cosgrave and his chief Ministers to office with such a large and loyal following as will enable them to give the country firm government during the next four years. There were weaknesses, however, in the late *Dail* which the country can remove to-day, with great advantage to the State, and ought to remove. It suffered from the lack of competent men of affairs, experts in finance and business; and the results of this lack have been obvious in swollen expenditure and high taxation. We advise the electors to vote strongly to-day for all the business candidates and for the best of the "independents." The qualifications of these men are well known in their constituencies: they stand on their accomplished work, not on watchwords or promises. If they are elected, their influence and criticism will not weaken Mr. Cosgrave's Executive where it has been strong, but will strengthen it where it has been weak. It is in every voter's power to-day to strike a blow for resolute, progressive and economic government in the Free State. If he votes in the wrong way or does not vote at all, he may injure national interests to his own ultimate loss. We urge all ex-Unionist electors, men and women, in Dublin and throughout the twenty-six counties to do their duty at the polls to-day. Refusal to vote will not rid them of a responsibility of citizenship which never was more solemn than at the present crisis in Irish affairs. It is the simple truth that every vote which is given at this election will be a vote for order or for anarchy, and that every vote which is withheld may be, in effect, a vote for anarchy.

America and Europe.

American public opinion is notoriously sensitive to criticism of any kind, and the storm which has been aroused by the Earl of Birkenhead's speech at Williamstown, Massachusetts, on last Friday night, need cause little surprise. He was attempting what he described as a philosophic analysis of the world's present discontents, and, naturally, referred to America's contribution to war and peace. One of the most unfortunate elements in the genesis of the present situation, he said, was the fact that when President Wilson came to Europe he did not interpret American opinion correctly. He was a great idealist, lofty in his views and noble in his actions; but he made the mistake of believing that every citizen of the United States shared his idealism, with the inevitable result that in the long run he was disowned. Mr. Henry Breckenbridge, who was Assistant Secretary of War under President Wilson, has taken serious offence at these remarks, which, he declares, are an insult to "a great American statesman." He has written a letter to the President of the American Bar Association protesting against Lord Birkenhead's presence as an invited speaker at the forthcoming Bar Congress, and urging that the noble earl shall be informed that his opinions are "distasteful and intolerable to a self-respecting American audience." Some of the New York newspapers are supporting Mr. Breckenbridge's point of view. Others are ridiculing it; but the mere fact that Lord Birkenhead has been forced to issue an "explanation" of his speech is sufficient indication of the extremely "touchy" condition of the American mind.

The people of the United States are beginning to discover the truth about themselves and their attitude towards the rest of humanity, and they do not like the experience. No nation, said Lord Birkenhead, ever can become the knight errant of the world under democratic conditions. Policy is based primarily on self-interest on both sides of the Atlantic Ocean, and President Wilson failed to represent his countrymen's point of view because he was too altruistic. The policy, however, which four years ago seemed to be quite selfless has undergone a change. Then the best interests of the United States demanded a "clean cut" from Europe; now they demand the very opposite. Mr. Walter Wellman, a prominent American journalist, has just published a letter which was written by the late President Harding on June 15th. This document proves clearly that the President had become convinced that America no longer could afford to remain in splendid isolation. It reiterated his resolve to have neither part nor lot in the League of Nations, but it expressed the hope that an "understanding" might be reached very soon. Shortly before he died President Harding told Mr. Wellman that he had prepared a definite programme for a world congress in 1924. The idealism of 1919 has become the self-interest of 1923.

America cannot, even if she would, remain aloof from the old world's affairs indefinitely. As Lord Birkenhead said, a great nation needs a great world in which to develop, and while Europe's markets are in their present condition of chaos American industry can find no satisfactory outlet for its products. Already the agricultural community in the United States is beginning to feel the strain. The big manufacturers never have concealed their desire to enter into closer relations with Europe, and only the purely political interests stand in the way. Senator Underwood, who probably will stand as Democratic candidate for the Presidency at the next election, has spoken very strongly on this topic. "European conditions," he said, "are as important a business to you as the credits on your ledgers," and he urged his audience of cotton merchants to press for American intervention in Europe. Everything depends on the policy of the new President. Mr. Coolidge is virtually an unknown quantity, and, beyond the fact that he is a Republican, little or nothing is known in Europe of his views. To all intents and purposes he has a free hand, and, if he declares that Europe must be saved, even the Senate hardly will oppose him seriously. He has an opportunity such as never has fallen to the lot of an American President. If he seizes it, his name may go down to history. If he lets it pass, Europe's power will languish, and the United States may reign supreme over a bankrupt world.

The Milk Supply.

An interesting contest is now in progress between English and Scottish dairy cows for the title of world's champion milk-producer. The present world's record yield of milk by a single cow in a twelvemonth is 3,155 gallons—an astonishing quantity, but the two leading cows in the present contest bid fair to surpass it. One has produced 3,086 gallons in 307 days, and the other 3,024 gallons in 314 days. Both animals are British Friesians, the former a native of Herefordshire and the other of Scotland. The race is by no means ended because, although the English cow has a comfortable lead, the Scottish rival is overhauling her rapidly. No doubt, the first thought which strikes the average man when he reads of these colossal milk yields is that his milk, butter and cheese ought to be cheaper than they are. It would be wrong, however, to assume that these three thousand gallon Friesians are, in comparison with other breeds, a profitable investment. We must consider what goes into the cow before the milk comes out. While an English Friesian gives a yield that would make a Munster farmer wealthy in a decade, it has an appetite that would bankrupt him in eighteen months. Ireland is still a long way from the time when every farmer will keep only the breed of cow that is best suited to the quality of his pasture and the location of his farm. Nevertheless, progress is being made. Better cows are being distributed throughout the country and better yields of milk are being gained as a consequence. The only beast that stubbornly refuses to improve is that which is cultivated, most unwillingly, by the consumer—the cow with the galvanised udder.

Railroad Scenery.

A writer in the Press has discovered that there is nothing quite like a train as a medium for the enjoyment of scenic beauty, and he suggests that "scenery trains" shall be run over the more rural stretches of the English railways. There is no denying that he makes out a good case. It is common knowledge that, if only the train will go slowly enough, the things in which the country-lover delights—birds and wild flowers, rose-covered cottages and little rustic bridges, vistas of rivers and harbours—are seen better from trains than in any other way. It is probably true that of the sights and scenes which are engraved on the minds of men a very large percentage was viewed from the train window. Our Irish railways have more serious subjects for thought than the beautifying of their cuttings and rural stations or the running of scenic excursion trains. Nevertheless, the railways, in their own interest, may bear in mind their unlimited potentialities as dispensers of rural and scenic delights, and may cater for the public taste in other ways than by decorating their first-class carriages with photographs of seaside hotels. We need not ask them to run slower trains or to instal megaphones through which the guard will tell us when to put down the newspaper and look out of the window. On the other hand, there is scarcely a line in the country which would not justify the addition of an "observation car" as a feature of its long-distance trains.

COURT AND PERSONAL.

The Empress Maria Feodorovna will leave Marlborough House to-day, having postponed her intended departure last Saturday. She will be escorted to Copenhagen by Prince Waldemar of Denmark, who has been staying with Queen Alexandra, and by Prince Axel of Denmark, who arrived in London last week.

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The Earl of Ranfurly, who has been touring in Switzerland, has returned to London, and will cross to Ireland this week. Sir George and Lady Rhodes are in Norway, but are expected back at the end of the month, and later Lady Rhodes will go to the United States to visit her relatives at Washington. Lady Florence Bourke has returned to London from a round of visits. Sir Charles and Lady Davidson, Lieutenant-General Sir W. and Lady Pitcairn Campbell, and Sir Timothy and Lady Coghlan are among the latest arrivals at Dinard. The Hon. Mrs. Jarvis, Sir Ernest Flower, Sir John Edwards-Moss, Sir Sydney and Lady Skinner, and Captain Quintin Dick have arrived at Bath. Sir Harry Brittain is the guest of President Masaryk at his shooting lodge in Czecho-Slovakia, where a succession of guests has been entertained this month.

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Viscount Cranborne, elder son of the Marquis of Salisbury, celebrates his thirtieth birthday to-day. He holds a commission in the Grenadier Guards, and was Parliamentary and personal military secretary to the Earl of Derby when the latter was Secretary of State for War. Lord Cranborne served during the European War, and received the Belgian Order of the Crown and the Croix de Guerre. He married the daughter of the Right Hon. Lord Richard F. Cavendish, C.M.G., and they have two sons. The elder, who is second heir to the Salisbury Marquisate, was born in 1916.

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Earl Beatty has a large shooting party at Grantully Castle. Good sport has been enjoyed by the guns, who include, beside the host and his elder son, Viscount Borodale, now in his nineteenth year, Lord Cochrane, Viscount Ednam, the Hon. Edward Stouor, the Hon. Piers Legh, and Sir Mathew Wilson.

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A cordial welcome was extended by the tenants and employés on the estates to Captain the Hon. Donald and Mrs. Howard when they arrived at Glencoe House, Argyllshire, on a visit to Lady Strathcona. It was their first visit to Glencoe since their marriage nearly a year ago. Mrs. Howard is one of the twin daughters of Mr. Gerald and Lady Louise Loder, and her husband is the elder grandson of the late Baron Strathcona and Mount Royal, and is heir to the title, to which his mother succeeded by special remainder in 1914. Lady Strathcona, who is a Canadian, has several other places in the British Isles, and also owns Silver Heights in Manitoba, Norway House, Picton, Nova Scotia, and a splendid mansion in Montreal.

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A marriage will shortly take place between Flight Lieutenant B. F. Haythornthwaite, M.B., R.A.F.M.S., son of the Rev. James Haythornthwaite, of St. Philip's Rectory, Milltown, and Mary, second daughter of C. H. Crookshank, Esq., K.C., Woodbank, Whiteabbey, Belfast.

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Sir Thomas Myles has returned to 35 Merrion square.

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Mr. Leo J. Smyth has returned to 78 Merrion square.

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Mr. William Matthews has returned to 53 Harcourt street.

Switzer's are showing to-day and all this week special All-Fur Felt Hats, straight leaf, turned up at back, bound around edge, ribbon trimmed bow at sides. Price 25s. 9d. See windows.

Beautiful New Model Gowns, Wraps, Coats, and Costumes.—W. Holmes, Dublin, Ltd., 69, 70, 71 George's street.

Lovely Austrian Velour Hats, beautiful shades of Mulberry, Havanna, Orchid, Squirrel, Jute, Tropical, New Blue, Camel, Sunset, Pheasant, Otter, etc., from 8s. 11d.—W. Holmes, Dublin, Ltd., 69, 70, 71 George's street.

Early Autumn Model Suits, Coats, and Gowns.—Campbell and Strahan, Ltd., 11 Wicklow street.

St. Alban's, Sandycove, Dun Laoghaire, will be opened to-day (Monday) as a High Class Private Hotel. Resident Guests being specially catered for, and individual tastes considered. The principal bedrooms are fitted with hot and cold water.

PASSENGERS ON ROYAL MAIL STEAMERS.

Arrivals:—W. Dartnell, Mrs. E. Dartnell, Miss F. Dartnell, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. O'Donnell, Mrs. S. Watchman, Lady Robinson, Mrs. R. M. Davis, Master Peter Myles, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Robinson, Mrs. Myles, Mrs. Le Clerc, Miss F. Le Clerc, Dr. and Mrs. W. G. Harvey, Miss Mildred L. Burrowes, Miss J. H. Morton, Miss C. G. Morton, E. Morton, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Ewing, D. Meredith, Mrs. W. H. Meredith, Miss H. Meredith, Miss Alice Jennie Kelly, Miss L. E. Costello, Miss H. O'Reilly, Mr. and Mrs. G. Murphy, W. G. Harvey, Master R. Harvey, Mrs. W. H. Harvey, Miss Sheila Harvey, Miss A. McDonnell, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Hayes, Canon and Mrs. Lyster.

New Autumn Model Coats, Wraps, Frocks, Costumes and Millinery showing at McBirney's. "Our Boys"—The Noted House for Boys' Reliable School Outfits at moderate prices.—24 Wicklow street.

Mr. David Vard (Furrier Expert), 24 Grafton street, begs to announce that business is being carried on as usual during alteration of premises.

Many novel designs in Autumn Millinery, Gowns, and Coats may be seen at the Salon, South Anne street. Miss Hayes will appreciate a visit from you.

Gibson and Co., Ladies' Tailors. Specialists in designing and cutting. All models made on the premises. Inspection invited.—141 Lr. Baggot st.

Mourning Orders receive prompt attention.—Davis and Co., 45 Grafton street. 'Phone 4905.

Regular visits to a dentist and the daily use of Gramo Tooth Paste are golden rules for the preservation of your health.

LORD LONDONDERRY'S GENEROSITY.

Lord Londonderry on Saturday opened a new pavilion, which he has given to the miners, at Dawdon Recreation Grounds. A striking tribute was paid to Lord Londonderry by Mr. Richard Lawson, a local miners' leader, who said that Dawdon Colliery had not lost a day for years. Lord Londonderry's generosity in allowing soldiers' widows to remain in their colliery houses during widowhood was one of the finest acts of which he knew.

DEATH OF DAME CLARA BUTT'S SON.

Dame Clara Butt and Mr. Kennerley Rumford have received the following message of sympathy from the King on the death of their eldest son, Mr. R. G. M. Kennerley Rumford: "The King is grieved to hear of the great sorrow which has befallen you, and I am desired to express His Majesty's sympathy with you and Mr. Kennerley Rumford in the loss of your dear son, and in the cutting short of a young and bright life so full of promise.—Stamfordham."

Queen Alexandra wrote:—"I am much grieved to hear of your son's death. It is too sad that his bright and promising young life should be cut short, and I offer to your husband and you my heartfelt sympathy in your bereavement.—Alexandra."

Telegrams of sympathy have also been received by Dame Clara Butt and Mr. Kennerley Rumford from the Duke of Connaught, Princess Louise, Princess Helena Victoria, and Princess Beatrice. The funeral will take place at North Stoke, Oxfordshire.

EX-CROWN PRINCE AND GERMANY.

PARIS, Sunday.

The *Matin* this morning publishes an interview with ex-Crown Prince Wilhelm, who declared that he was soon going to apply to the German Government for permission to return to Germany in order to live as a private citizen on his property in Silesia. The ex-Crown Prince added that he did not want to return to the Fatherland in an illegal manner, and would await a favourable moment when tranquillity reigned, so that his return should not cause any trouble.

It is a melancholy reflection that none of us can keep our present jobs without keeping others out.—The Rev. Basil Bourchier.

ROYAL HIBERNIAN ACADEMY.

A SECOND IMPRESSION.

Just as one cannot generally form a fair estimate of the value of a piece of music which one has only heard performed once, so does one require a second visit to an exhibition of pictures. It is at this second visit that one is able to see the pictures in their proper proportion, to sort out with some degree of certainty the good from the indifferent.

One of the most noticeable facts about this year's Academy is the undoubted success of the holding of it in conjunction with the Horse Show. A large number of people who, we fear, would not otherwise have visited the Academy have been to the exhibition this year. Indeed, during the first few days, so many people were there that it was not a little difficult to see the pictures at all; it was like an opening day unusually prolonged. Since, however, the exhibition will remain open until September 1st there will be ample opportunity to see the pictures in comfort.

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In a preliminary notice of the Academy (published in the *Irish Times* on August 15th) attention was drawn to the good work done by the Irish students and younger artists. Amongst the students' work there is a well-executed red chalk drawing, "Mutt" (No. 269), by Miss O'Halloran. This drawing, representing a little girl reading, shows good technique and bold line. It is a pity that it is Miss O'Halloran's only contribution to the exhibition. Mr. George Collie is represented by five works; four of these are portrait studies, the best of them being No. 174, a portrait of a young boy, which is done with real skill. Mr. Collie paints with great freshness, his colour is clean and good, and he should improve rapidly. Mr. Francis Bowe exhibits among other things a self-portrait, "The Green Shirt" (No. 121), which has good colour composition and good drawing. Miss Ada Storey, twice winner of the Taylor Scholarship, is showing two pieces of sculpture; one of these a relief head, is a clever and artistic work, but the other "Support Irish Talent" (No. 313), a figure of a young boy playing the fiddle, is scarcely up to the standard of Miss Storey's best work. Mr. Matthew Barry is exhibiting a couple of pleasant pencil drawings and an etching. On the whole, the work done by the students this year is interesting, and shows definite promise. One would, however, have liked to have seen more of them represented. Neither of the winners of the Taylor Scholarship this year is exhibiting a single work, and many other students who have already done good things are apparently completely quiescent.

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In the water-colour section, Mr. R. Caulfeild Orpen, R.H.A., is showing three attractive sketches. No. 33, "Thorns on Carrickmines Golf Links," is the most effective; the other two are clever figure studies. Mr. W. J. Leech, R.H.A., has some delightful sketches of aloes and cactus, which are a mass of beautiful colour, and he has, as well, an exceptionally clever picture, entitled "Children on the Beach" (No. 236). Three water-colours, which are worth looking at, are exhibited by Miss B. E. Gubbins. They are "The Canal, Exeter" (No. 39), a charming little picture, which suffers somewhat from bad framing; "On the Exe" (No. 44), and "The Old Harbour, Folkestone," the last of which is a very good composition. Other noticeable water-colours are No. 23, "June in a Garden," by Miss Olive Archer; No. 8, "On the Jhelum River, Kashmir," by Mrs. Murray, and No. 74, a particularly good cliff study by J. Stanley Prosser.

There are several interesting oil sketches, too, which include three or four by Nassau Blair Brown, R.H.A. Two of his which will catch the eye are Nos. 160 and 162, both done at Howth: the first of yachts in the harbour, the second of fishing boats. Both of these paintings have vivid and attractive colour, and lively movement. Miss Letitia Hamilton shows a good study, entitled "Rocks at Howth" (No. 163).

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One must not fail to remark upon the work of Miss Harrison in this exhibition. She shows but two portraits; many people are of the opinion that they are the best on view. They are of the late Canon Henry Hogan, and of Mr. Henry Chisholm. Miss Harrison can do amazingly fine work—unfortunately she paints all too little. Mr. Maurice Greiffenhagen exhibits two portraits of Sir John Keane and Lady Eleanor Keane, which are both painted with uncanny skill. There is one example of the work of Mr. Gerald Festus Kelly, R.H.A., "Rita, la Bailaora" (No. 134); it is not quite as good as the best of Mr. Kelly's work, but it shows flashes of brilliance.

We confirm our former impression that the most interesting pictures are those by Sir John Lavery and Mr. P. J. Tuohy, but there is plenty of other work exhibited which is worth seeing, and buying, if one can afford it.

WEATHER FORECAST

General Inference.—The large depression off the Hebrides will maintain winds mainly between south-west and west, with considerable fair periods, but local showers. Thunder may occur in places.

Ireland.—Wind between westerly and south-westerly, moderate or fresh; considerable fair periods, local showers, perhaps thunder in places; visibility mainly good; moderate temperature.

All Irish Seaboards.—Winds mainly between south-westerly and westerly, moderate or fresh, strong in places; variable cloud; local showers; visibility good; sea rather rough to moderate.

Dixon and Hempenstall, Barometers and Forecasters, 12 Suffolk street, Dublin.—(Advt)

BAROMETER.

Dublin—Saturday, 1 p.m.			29.85
Dublin—Sunday, 5 p.m.			29.60
SUN.			
To-day ... Rises	6.24	Sets	8.29
To-morrow	6.25	..	8.27
Lighting-up Time			9.29

HIGH WATER.

DUBLIN.			
To-day ... Morning	—	Afternoon	1.4
To-morrow	1.12	..	1.39
BELFAST.			
To-day ... Morning	12.32	Afternoon	12.38
To-morrow	12.54	..	—
QUEENSTOWN.			
To-day ... Morning	6.55	Afternoon	7.11
To-morrow	7.29	..	7.46

TO-DAY'S ENGAGEMENTS.

Theatre Royal—Varieties, 6.45 and 9 p.m.
Gaiety Theatre—"Advertising April," 7.45 p.m.
Queen's Theatre—"The Octoroon," 6.45 and 8.45.
Olympia Theatre—"Happy-Go-Lucky," 6.45 and 9.
Tivoli Theatre—Varieties, 6.45 and 9 p.m.
Abbey Theatre—"Dervorgilla" and "The Eloquent Dempsy," 8.15 p.m.
Metropole Cinema—"Peter Ibbetson," 3 to 10.30.
La Scala Theatre—"Till We Meet Again."
Carlton Cinema—"Dick Turpin's Ride to York."
Bohemian Picture Theatre—"No Defence."
Grafton Picture House—"North of the Rio Grande."
Grand Central Cinema—"Rob Roy."
Corinthian Picture Theatre—"Island Wives."
Princess Cinema, Rathmines—"The Oath."
Stella Cinema, Rathmines—"A Bill of Divorcement."
Pavilion, Dun Laoghaire—"Sheltered Daughters."
Kingstown Picture House—"The Three Ages."
Arcadia, Bray—Dancing, 7.45 to 11 p.m.
All-Army Championships, 1923.
General Election—Polling Day.

THE GAELIC LEAGUE.

At a recent meeting of the Coiste Gnotha (General Committee) of the Gaelic League, in Dublin, Miss Mary Kennedy, M.A., presiding, the following were co-opted as members of the Coiste:—Munster—Mr. Sean O'Falvey, M.B.; Mr. Sean Luasa, Mr. T. O'Deasy, M.A.; Mr. John Kiss

POLLING TO-DAY.

PROSPECTS OF THE CANDIDATES REVIEWED.

THE FINAL SPEECHES.

SEVENTY MEETINGS IN ONE DAY IN CLARE.

Sunday, the final day for pre-election oratory, was marked by strenuous activity in the Free State constituencies.

The record seems to have been made in County Clare, where candidates addressed no less than seventy meetings. President Cosgrave, in South Kilkenny, spoke at seven meetings, and Mr. Kevin O'Higgins addressed five in the County Dublin.

Labour, too, was active, while the Republicans in Dublin held a series of meetings in various districts of the city, and concluded with a big demonstration in Sackville street last night.

The Business Men's candidates held a very successful meeting on Saturday night in the ex-Service Men's Hall, Sandymount.

Below we give reports of the election prospects from correspondents in a number of the county constituencies.

A full list of candidates, instructions to voters, and portraits of a number of the candidates will be found on Pages 3 and 7 of this issue.

VOTING FACILITIES.

ALL PARTIES HOPEFUL.

FROM OUR POLITICAL CORRESPONDENT.

In accordance with the provisions of the Free State Constitution to-day will be observed as a National Holiday so far as the twenty-six counties are concerned, and the electorate of over a million and three-quarters will have a full opportunity to register their votes in favour of some of those of the 375 candidates who submit themselves for their approval.

So far as the country generally is concerned, the day will show whether the Irish people will ratify the acceptance of the Treaty by their authorised leaders or whether they will follow those who have been seeking to brand Arthur Griffith and Michael Collins as traitors to their country.

So far as the election campaign is concerned, it must be said that, on the whole, it has been free from unpleasant incidents. The various candidates have pushed forward their campaign with vigour, but the fight has been free from evidences of violence or intimidation, and, considering the trial and stress through which the country has been passing in recent years, the Irish people have some reason to congratulate themselves upon the manner in which the first general election campaign under the new conditions has been carried out.

There was great activity both in Dublin and the provinces yesterday, when the speakers of the various parties were making their "final rally." There were meetings in North and South Dublin and in the county in support of Cumann na n-Gaedheal candidates, of the Republicans, of the various Labour candidates, and final preparations in connection with the polling were completed on behalf of the Independents and the Business candidates. There was a great flood of electioneering speeches during the week-end in Dublin City and County. A glance through the provincial newspapers on Saturday gave a fair idea of the oratorical hurricane to which the country, North, South, East, and West, has been subjected.

It is probable that on the whole the Independent candidates received the best hearing. This may be attributed to the fact that they were outside the vortex of the political storm raging between the two main parties. The more extreme wing of Labour showed some animus against the Business candidates, while several of the Farmers' representatives had to run the gauntlet of opposition from agricultural labour.

A CHANGE OF FEELING.

There were some singular evidences of change in popular feeling. Thus Republicanism showed no hostility towards Captain Redmond, D.S.O., at Waterford, reserving their interruptions for the Treaty meetings. The extremists seem to have forgotten their animus towards "Parliamentarianism" in the heat of their newer dislikes.

There were some aspects of the electioneering of which, perhaps, more may be heard when calmer waters are reached. Thus, the fact that aeroplanes, which are Government property, had been made use of only by Government candidates in going from one meeting to another has been commented on by Labour candidates and by Independents, while the candidates of the Business men in Dublin have referred to the fact that Mr. Kevin O'Higgins, in one of his speeches, had said that after the electors had marked their "preferences" for Government candidates, they should give no votes to anyone else. Mr. John Good said that he expected to get some support from the electors supporting the Government, but it looked as if the Government candidates were not at all anxious to see business men in the new Parliament, and that he had heard that there was something approaching alarm in Government official circles lest Business candidates should be elected, who would closely scrutinise the expenditure and seek to carry on our public affairs in a business way. Some of the Independent candidates, and notably Captain Redmond, have made complaints on similar lines.

Another feature of the elections which may find expression in evidences of dissatisfaction in the near future is the almost total disappearance of the direct representation of Irish urban centres. All the cities and towns of Ireland, with the exception of Dublin and Cork, have been merged in the surrounding agricultural areas. Thus, Limerick becomes part of a large agricultural area which elects seven representatives, Waterford is merged with the county, to which four seats are given, and similarly with Galway, Wexford, Kilkenny, and so on. The results of the elections will show how these centres will fare so far as representation of their interests in Parliament is concerned.

Speculation on the results of to-day's polling may well be left to the electioneering experts. Last night's representatives of all parties were expressing themselves as well pleased with their prospects. It is quite safe to predict that they will not all be equally well pleased when the results are published.

So far as the arrangements for the polling are concerned, the Returning Officer for Dublin City (Dr. Lorcan Sherlock) appears to have made ample provision with 35 polling stations in South Dublin and 36 in North Dublin for a total electorate of 152,900, while throughout the 26 counties the official preparations appear to have been on an equally generous scale.

"SAFETY FIRST."

PRESIDENT'S EVE OF POLL MESSAGE.

FROM OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.

KILKENNY, Sunday.

To-day I asked President Cosgrave to give, through the columns of the *Irish Times*, a final message to the electors. He wrote for me the following:—

"The motto for this election is 'Safety first.' Strengthen those who have brought peace to the nation, consolidate your gains by your votes, mark your preferences in the order of ability to maintain sacred life, liberty, and security.

"Continue your preferences in that order. Attend the polls at whatever sacrifice on this 27th August to register your contribution towards stability of government in Saorstat Eireann."

ELECTION PROSPECTS.

COUNTY CLARE.

Writing from County Clare under date Sunday night, Our Special Correspondent says:—Election committees here do not expect that there will be a heavy poll in this constituency. Now that polling day is at hand the result seems to be almost as much in doubt as it was at the commencement of the campaign. One hardly likes to hazard a guess as to the probable strength of the parties after the poll. If to-day's meetings were to be taken as an indication of how the electors will vote one would say, without hesitation, that all four parties were assured of the return of at least one of their candidates. That would leave one seat unaccounted for. Many people are of opinion that the trend of the voting will be in that direction. That there will be much cross-voting, as it is called, is certain, and it is for that reason that the results remain uncertain.

The four parties contesting this constituency being equally well organised and, as it seems, supported, and proportional representation being what it is, the more likely result is that each party will get one seat, and that there will be a keen struggle between the two strongest interests for the fifth and last seat. That is as far as one finds oneself prepared to go, even at this hour.

COUNTY GALWAY.

The last day of the election campaign witnessed considerable activity among all parties throughout the county, says our Galway Correspondent. I am informed that the Farmers' Party candidates will poll heavily in the rural districts and small towns. Mr. M. M. Egan, President of the County Galway Farmers' Association, declares that the farmers can act as mediators and peace-makers between the Free State and the Republican Parties. Mr. T. J. O'Connell (Labour) has addressed a meeting in Kilronan, Aran, and a good Labour vote is expected from the fisher folk on the islands.

COUNTY TIPPERARY.

Our Clonmel Correspondent says:—President Cosgrave's flying visit to Tipperary gave a great fillip to the cause of the local Cumann na nGaedheal candidates, and their success at the polls is now generally regarded as assured. The President's speeches evoked great enthusiasm, and he was pleased at the wholehearted support extended to him and his party.

COUNTY LIMERICK.

The farmers of the Rockhill rural district have passed a resolution in favour of first preference for the Cumann na nGaedheal candidates (says our Hospital Correspondent), and in several other districts officials and members of the Farmers' Union are openly supporting those candidates. The election campaign closed yesterday, and the various parties held many meetings, the Cumann na nGaedheal Party being particularly active. As the result of a tour of the entire constituency they are confident of the return of their candidates.

SLIGO-LEITRIM.

There are five Farmer candidates in the field, two from Sligo and three from Leitrim (says our Carrick-on-Shannon Correspondent), but through some error one of the Leitrim farmers' candidates, Mr. Laurence Hayden, organising secretary, was omitted from the list of nominated candidates given in the Press during the week. It is extremely hard to compute the number of votes which will be cast, but a general assumption in authoritative quarters is that about 65 per cent. of the Leitrim electorate will poll, and on this basis it is assumed that two Cumann na nGaedheal candidates, two Farmers', one official Labour candidate, and two Republicans will be successful.

The small farmers, town workers, and town tenants are pledged to support Labour, and their vote, added to the school teachers' vote, will leave little doubt as to the return of Alderman Lynch, Sligo. The people in the rural districts are very silent, and generally a big Republican spirit prevails amongst the younger element. It is the general opinion all over Leitrim with those of long experience in elections that the ballot boxes will disclose many surprises for the various conflicting interests involved, and that the men of their choice will not be returned as readily as was expected during the campaign.

COUNTY MONAGHAN.

Everywhere that Mr. Blythe has gone, writes our Clones Correspondent, he has met with warm receptions. A notable feature of his candidature is the fact of his having all the prominent clergy of the Roman Catholic Church in the constituency on his platform. Two clergymen who have held strong Republican ideas have given Mr. Blythe the staunchest support he has received anywhere in Co. Monaghan. A Protestant elector stated that Mr. Blythe would get every first preference vote from all the intelligent voters belonging to his class. There are 40,170 voters in Co. Monaghan, and it is expected that all will poll except 5,000 voters. There is not the slightest indication of any trouble at the polls.

Our Monaghan Correspondent says:—The general opinion is that there will be a great rally to the support of the Government. The general tone of affairs within the last few days has altered considerably. Few up to the last cared to declare for one side or another, but now people have become more outspoken, and opinion has veered round to the Free State side. Indeed, the feeling has become so pronounced that most people are now satisfied that Mr. Blythe will go to the head of the poll. The Farmers' candidate, Mr. Maguire, is unquestionably the next strongest candidate. How the votes will be divided for the third place amongst the remaining five candidates it would be difficult to estimate; but it is thought that there will be a close run for third place between the Republican candidate, Mr. Coburn, and Mr. Duffy, the second Cumann na nGaedheal candidate. Mr. Blythe, the Minister for Local Government, has been very busy interviewing electors, and addressing meetings for the past few days, and the reports from all quarters are excellent.

IRISH EX-SERVICE MEN.

Mr. James Shanks, the Business men's candidate for Dublin, South, says that he is in sympathy with the claims of the ex-Service men, while not binding himself to the precise formula which they submit. He adds:—"My interest in their cause is assured, as, in common with many other Dublin citizens, I have several ex-Service men in my own family."

BUSINESS MEN'S CASE.

ECONOMY AND FIRM GOVERNMENT.

CONFERENCE WITH DUBLIN ELECTORS.

Messrs. David Barry and John Good, the business candidates for County Dublin, brought their electioneering campaign to a conclusion on Saturday night, with an exposition of their policy, at a meeting in the ex-Servicemen's Hall at Sandymount, and at the close a vote of confidence in them was passed unanimously by the electors present.

Sir John Irwin, who presided, said that both Mr. Good and Mr. Barry were well known to the citizens of Dublin, and he hoped that when the time came for the electors to record their votes they would return both candidates.

Mr. John Good, who was cordially received, referred at the outset to the difficulties which Mr. Barry and he experienced in reaching the electors. He mentioned the incidents at Coolock, Raheny, and Howth, when a red char-a-banc followed them from place to place, and from 50 to 60 able-bodied men with sticks—men apparently able to use them—threatened them. The men who prevented them from holding those meetings, he understood, did not belong to the constituency. They were the loudest in calling for free speech, but he felt sure that, as the result of what had happened at those places, the business candidates would not suffer at the ballot boxes, and he asked his audience to assist them by persuading those electors whom the candidates could not reach to do their duty at the polls.

The country was now face to face with a national crisis. The next four years in Ireland would be the most serious years, practically, in this century, and it was of the greatest importance to Ireland that the proper men should be returned to the new Dail, in order that the new Ireland might set out on right lines. (Hear, hear). Mr. Barry and he asked for the support of the electors as business men, and not as politicians Mr. Barry was connected with one of the largest companies in Dublin, and had had vast experience in dealing with public matters for the last 25 or 30 years.

He (Mr. Good) had not been idle—(applause)—and his friends in the Chamber of Commerce thought that his interest in the industries of the country was of such importance that they asked him to represent them on the Association of Chambers of Commerce that sat in London. He had had the privilege for the last five years of being the only representative of Ireland, representing Irish industries, in that great body in England, and he had always felt it a great honour to be that representative. It gave him a great opportunity of coming in touch with the business matters of grave international importance, and with all the leading men in Great Britain, and practically from all the European countries. In that way he got a knowledge of business matters that he had found exceedingly useful, and if returned as representative in the next Dail, it would be his duty, so far as he possibly could, to place the benefit of that experience and advice at the service of those who were to govern this country, in order that they might govern wisely. They believed that the Treaty should be made the basis of a prosperous and happy Ireland. (Applause).

FIRM GOVERNMENT.

They were in favour of firm and efficient government, and they considered that firm government was necessary in Ireland, in order to establish peace and maintain it. They wanted efficient government, because they wanted to get a reduction in their taxation. By efficient government they meant economic administration in all Government Departments, and it would be their duty, if returned, to see that the utmost economy was exercised in all Government departments, and that there was no waste.

Having touched on the importance of agriculture and industry, and on unemployment, which would be kept in mind, Mr. Good dealt with the gravity of the fiscal policy, and said that the business candidates hoped to be in the Dail when the report of the Fiscal Commission came before it. He assured them that that report would be carefully considered and carefully examined before it passed the Dail. They were satisfied, as business men, that the question of unemployment would never be satisfactorily dealt with on the basis of doles. Their solution of the problem—and they were satisfied that it was the only wise solution—was to develop their industries and absorb the unemployed in employment. (Applause.) Education and housing must be dealt with. They felt that the rents of the houses that had been built were so high that they were beyond the means of the people who, it was intended, should occupy them, and that there should be houses, even if smaller, the rents of which men could afford to pay. (Applause.)

They met that night in the hall belonging to the ex-Service men, to whom they all owed a great deal, and, so far as he was concerned, their claims—and he looked upon them as reasonable claims—would have his wholehearted support. (Applause.) In conclusion, he appealed to the electors not to be apathetic about the result of the election.

Mr. David Barry asked the electors to put in the Business candidates as strong men to support the Government against anarchy, intimidation, and coercion of any kind, and in getting fair play for every man, woman, and child in the twenty-six counties. (Hear, hear.) He was going to stand for freedom and liberty to do what he liked within the law. He stood for freedom for all, without distinction of class or creed. The Business men had come to the electors as honest men, with an honest programme, which they intended honestly to carry out. They stood to stimulate trade, to foster existing industries, and to build up new industries. He tilled upwards of 200 acres, and was an agriculturalist, as well as a business man. He could claim that the farmers should support him with their first preference votes, because he was a farmer as well as a business man.

A UNITED IRELAND.

He was out to wipe out the difference between North and South, if possible. He claimed that they must have a united Ireland before they could get complete peace, and they could have a united Ireland if they proved to the world that they acted fairly and squarely and courageously, suppressed outrage, and made laws that were fair to everyone concerned.

He came across Rory O'Connor on one occasion, when he took upon himself to occupy the Port and Docks Board offices, without the Board's permission. He met Rory O'Connor courageously and fearlessly, and ordered him out, and got him out, and he had no doubt that he saved Westmoreland street from sharing the fate of the Four Courts. He told them that, because that was the spirit in which Mr. Good and he intended entering the new Dail—that they would face any enemy of this country in the same courageous manner. They cared not from what direction opposition came: if anything was not for the good of the country they would oppose it fearlessly and courageously. If the electors did not fail the Business candidates on Monday, the Business candidates would not fail them. (Applause.)

Mr. Aylward, a member of the audience, asked how did Mr. Good propose to deal with the housing question.

Mr. Good replied that the difficulty of housing at the present moment was not a structural problem, but an economic problem, and until individual private enterprise could deal with housing as an economic problem—as a paying game—the Government and the local authority must step in and help housing. His idea was that, instead of erecting large, expensive houses, it was better to erect smaller and cheaper houses.

The Chairman, touching on the question of economy, expressed the hope that steps would be taken to reduce the enormous cost of the Army, which, at present, for the 26 counties was in or about 11 millions. That was an appalling fact, and the sooner it was dealt with the better.

On the motion of Mr. Duncan, seconded by Mr. Johnston, a vote of confidence in the two candidates was passed unanimously.

The meeting concluded with a vote of thanks to the Chairman.

EXPELLED ENVOYS.

The liner Mongolia, which has just arrived at Marseilles, had on board the Rev. Michael O'Flanagan, the Irish Republican priest, and Mr. O'Kelly. They went to Australia on a mission on behalf of the Irish Republic and were expelled by the Australian authorities.

PRESIDENT'S BUSY DAY.

SEVEN MEETINGS IN KILKENNY.

RECEPTION AT CALLAN.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

KILKENNY, Sunday.

In furtherance of the Cumann na nGaedheal election campaign, President Cosgrave addressed seven meetings in South Kilkenny today, and was well received everywhere. The tour opened with a visit to Callan, the home of Mr. Michael Shelly, chief of the Republican candidates, and regarded as a stronghold of the Anti-Treaty party. The general opinion here was that the least that would happen in Callan was that the President would be shouted down. Instead of that he received a reception as friendly as any that has yet come his way in Kilkenny County.

Arriving with Judge Cohalan, of New York, half an hour after the advertised time for the start of the meeting, he was met in the town by the two local priests and a cheering crowd which filled the street opposite the Town Hall.

Throughout his short speech the President was interrupted only by applauding signs of approval. From one little corner a small group, composed mostly of very young girls, now and again interjected a unsympathetic remark, but this only showed up in stronger contrast the general feeling of the crowd, which was composed for the most part of men of the farming class. Among those in the audience was Mr. Denis Gorey, the well-known leader of the Farmers' Party in the last Dail.

The Rev. William Murphy, Callan, who presided, said that President Cosgrave and his colleagues had rescued Ireland, and made it a place where the ordinary decent man and woman could live their lives in security. When Arthur Griffith died Ireland was faced with black despair, but President Cosgrave manfully stepped into the breach, and had accomplished the wonders that the world had not seen for the past twelve months. He had smitten hip and thigh the internal enemy of the country, and had made it impossible for the ancient external enemy ever to return. While all this was being done he and his colleagues had produced a crop of legislation of which any country might boast. (Cheers.)

PRESIDENT COSGRAVE'S SPEECH.

President Cosgrave said that Ireland had just come through an experience of the same sort as that endured by every country in the history of the world. They had to go through the same pains, the same trouble, the same disorders as every other young nation, and there was now no reason for any feeling for the future but one of confidence. Those who were against disorder had now ranged behind them the assistance and support of practically every order in the community, with the exception of one. One small section stood apart from the rest of the nation, with a political formula which, rightly interpreted, meant nothing more than a Republican form of Government to be called the de Valera-MacSwiney Republic, Limited. (Laughter.) It was a new form of political extravagance that he supposed no other country had ever experienced. Under it nothing could be done without the Imperial signature of those two worthies, which must be appended to every decree of any body selected by the people to form a Parliament.

During the past twelve months a Parliament had acted in open session in Dublin. Everything said there could be weighed up by the electors, who could estimate the value of the services of each member who sat there, and place a value on the work that they had been doing. Now that the country was starting to rebuild, he asked the electors to remember that it was only a number of people coming together for a common purpose that could secure any advance for Ireland, now or in the future. (Cheers.) It was not the individual greatness nor the individual speeches of particular people that counted. Now nothing counted but the work done and the results of the work. On the one hand the electors had the evidence of real, solid work done for the nation, and on the other nothing but disorder and destruction and the belittling the name of the country. On the one hand, there had been enacted within the past twelve months legislation imbued with only one spirit, that of the prosperity and progress of their native land; on the other hand, they had this Republic limited, which, during the two or three stormy years of its functioning, had a spending capacity only as large as that of Dublin Corporation. The electors were now asked by the other side to retrace their steps and undo the work of Griffith and Collins. (Cries of "Never.") In no history could there be found such a record of destruction and terrorism as that carried out in Ireland for the past eighteen months in the name of a Republic in Ireland. There was no parallel for the destruction of life and property except that of Cromwell, Sirr, and Castlereagh. Now, when they had failed in their challenge to the people of Ireland they sheltered themselves under the name of constitutional Republicanism.

Answering an interrupter, he said—What are you standing for there? Are you standing for fight? If you are, where are the warriors? (Cheers.)

A Voice—What about the heavy taxation?

President Cosgrave—If you want to ask the cause of that, ask the authors of the destruction. We have had enough of this terrorism, of this whispering and plotting behind backs. We have seen you in the field, and we got your measure. We knocked the devil out of you and your friends, and your whisperings have no terrors for us.

A CAPTURED DOCUMENT.

Continuing, he said that the work of the Government for the past twelve months had got the name of Ireland respected in every country in the world. Ireland had no use for the men who in times of danger spent the money that had been collected in Callan and elsewhere in the hotels and pleasant places of America and the Continent, masquerading as Irish Republicans. They knew all about those who were fighting for the Republic on the Continental front. (Laughter.) They knew the record of those men, and what they were capable of doing. During the past fortnight they had captured a despatch containing orders to, above all things, kidnap Cosgrave, even if the driver of his car had to be shot. "Come on," he added; "come on by all means, and try will you live to see the day when you can boast that you have caught Cosgrave." (Great cheers.)

In conclusion, he asked them not to pay any attention to behind backs terrorism or whisperings that it would be unsafe to vote. He could assure every man and woman in Ireland that it would be perfectly safe to vote. Let no one stop marking his voting paper with two or three names, but go on marking for every man who he thought would attend to Parliament, and give his best in the deliberations of the peoples representatives.

Mr. Sean Gibbons, a candidate, Judge Cohalan, and Father Roe, Callan, also spoke.

When Judge Cohalan started someone shouted "Up de Valera," to which the judge replied, "Yes, you may well shout 'Up de Valera,' a man entirely without self-control, the greatest egotist in the history of any race, a man who proved himself to be such a charlatan that the people of America were disgusted with him. He was, he said, a Republican, and nothing else, but he recognised that the first step to a Republic was the establishment of law and order in Ireland. He saw men and women going around masquerading as Republicans, who were merely seizing the liberty of heaven to do the work of the devil." (Cheers.)

Following on the Callan meeting I find in the City of Kilkenny this evening a great boom in Government election stock. When nothing happened in Callan they say that the President will head the poll easily. Already he has Carlow solid behind him.

His mother and sister arrived in Kilkenny last evening, and are staying with friends here.

BIG MEETING IN WATERFORD.

LAST WORDS TO THE ELECTORS.

President Cosgrave at Waterford on Saturday night received a very enthusiastic reception. During the progress of his speech a procession in support of Captain Redmond, with a band, passed, and some cheering and counter-cheering was indulged in. Shots were

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IRISH UNITY.

NORTHERN MINISTER'S STATEMENT.

"LEGISLATIVE UNION UNTHINKABLE."

The Right Hon. John M. Andrews, D.L., Minister of Labour for Northern Ireland, addressing an Orange demonstration at Comber, Co. Down, on Saturday, said—We continue to hear a great deal of talk about the unity of Ireland. If what is meant by unity is peace and goodwill between the Governments of Northern and Southern Ireland, I agree that it is very desirable that such a happy state of affairs should exist. I repeat, however, what I have said on previous occasions, that the legislative union of Ireland is unthinkable, not only on account of many local conditions, but also because since the Free State came into existence union with Southern Ireland would really involve separation from Great Britain, to which no loyal man or woman amongst us could agree. What some persons do not evidently appreciate is that the forces which divide us here in the North from Southern Ireland are far more insuperable than the few miles of water which separate us from Great Britain geographically.

Referring to the general political situation, Mr. Andrews said—In the first place, with the invaluable support of the Royal Ulster Constabulary and our gallant Specials, we have re-established law and order throughout the whole of our area. I feel that I am right in saying that there is no place in His Majesty's dominions where life and property is now more secure. Secondly, we have retained intact every foot of our six-county area. Notwithstanding false reports which are frequently circulated for various reasons, and in some instances from surprising quarters, we intend to remain immovable in this connection, and I can assure you on my colleagues' behalf as well as my own that we would no more agree to give up Fermanagh and Tyrone than County Down. Thirdly, we have built up on enduring foundations our various Government departments, and although I am aware that some of our appointments caused criticism, and that some people have necessarily been disappointed, I feel that we have got together a body of civil servants—all of whom have taken the oath of allegiance to the King and the Ulster Government—who are discharging their responsible duties faithfully and well, and of whom any Government might well be proud.

RECENT LEGISLATION.

Of course, I know that some of our social legislative efforts have been critisised—that is inevitable. Our Education Act, for example, appears, I am glad to say, to have pleased our teachers, but I am sorry that some of our clergy take strong exception to certain of its provisions. These differences, I hope, it will be possible to adjust. The children, however, are the "still small voices" of to-day, and when they come to be men and women I believe that they will bless this Act as having brought to them all the advantages of a sound education, free of cost to their parents as such. This is the point of view which appeals to me more strongly than any other. The recent temperance legislation is not intended to be all things to all men, but I think all fair-minded critics will agree that it is an honest attempt to deal with a very difficult question. I know very well that there are some people in our midst who, astonishing as it may seem, remain advocates of Sunday trading, and particularly the unrestricted use of alcoholic liquor. On the other hand, there are thousands of women and children who will bless this Act as a charter of their freedom, and who will hail it, like the Pickwick pen, as "boon and a blessing to men."

SPAIN'S LITTLE WAR.

MUTINY REPORTS DENIED.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

MADRID, Sunday.

The battle between the Spanish Army and the Moors of Abd-el-Krim continued yesterday on the east side of the Bay of Alhucemas.

No communiqués were issued from either side. It is officially confirmed, however, that the battle continues, but no information of any kind has been given out since the announcement of a Spanish victory on Friday.

The news of this Spanish victory had an important political effect on Saturday's Cabinet meeting, called to make a decision on the Moroccan war.

The news that Abd-el-Krim had proclaimed a holy war and had called for a hundred thousand Moorish volunteers, changed the aspect of the problem considerably, and the strong military campaign became almost a necessity. The news of Spain's victory at Alhucemas—with a loss of at least a thousand and probably a good deal more—made the war policy sure.

As a result it is expected to-day that the Foreign Minister, D'Alba, will resign. He has opposed the new Moorish war from the beginning, having for a time the support of Señor Villanueva, the Finance Minister.

The Cabinet's decision to prosecute the war to a finish, even if it meant using all of Spain's man power, will make the D'Alba-Villanueva position insecure. After the next meeting, called for Tuesday, one or the other or both are expected to step out.

Movements of disorder, approaching a mutiny, are reported from various points. All such reports are denied by the Ministry of War.

NEAR EAST PEACE.

ALLIED TROOPS LEAVING CONSTANTINOPLE.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Sunday.

Following the ratification of the Lausanne Peace Treaty by the Grand National Assembly at Angora, the Allies are already fulfilling their pledge to evacuate Constantinople. The first British transport, carrying 1,600 men and a considerable amount of artillery, left for Egypt yesterday afternoon. Other transports are loading, and it is expected that within three weeks the bulk of the Allied troops will have been removed from Constantinople and the Dardanelles. The troops are departing from the Asiatic side of the Straits, the first detachment embarking at Haidarpasha.

The French have begun embarking a Senegalese regiment from Rodosto, and they promise that all buildings used by them will be turned over to the Turks within six days.

It is reported that Kemal Pasha will visit Constantinople on completion of the evacuation. A great celebration is being planned to welcome the "saviour of the city," which, it is pointed out, would still be held by the Allies if it had not been for the work of Kemal Pasha, who was originally characterised throughout the Western world as the "bandit leader."

MR. WILSON'S IDEALISM.

LORD BIRKENHEAD'S REPLY TO HIS CRITICS.

NEW YORK, Sunday.

The *New York World* publishes a special despatch from Saratoga Springs, New York, in which Lord Birkenhead makes the following statement in connection with the criticisms of his Williamstown address:—

"My object was to attempt a philosophic examination of the causes which have led to the present world situation. In the course of that examination I made certain observations in relation to President Wilson, which made plain how noble was the rôle, which, in my opinion, this distinguished American played in the critcal events of four critical years, but I must, nevertheless, be allowed to mantain, as I intend to maintain, my individual view that his own idealistic temperament led him to exaggerate the force behind him in his own country in the part which was revolutionary as to the tradition bequeathed to the American people by men equally great.

"I ask nothing more of the American people than that they should read carefully all that I said of this distinguished man, and decide in fair perspective whether my words did not tend to enhance his reputation at the bar of history, rather than to disparage it."—(Reuter.)

TO-DAY'S LONDON PAPERS.

THE NEW TURKEY.

PROBLEMS OF THE FUTURE.

The Times observes in a leading article that the evacuation of Constantinople, which began with the departure of British troops, is the outward and visible sign that a new chapter has opened in the history of Turkey. The new Turkey is not the Power whose watch-fires were seen on the Piave, which swept the Mediterranean, and which twice laid siege to Vienna, but it possesses in some respects a freer hand than any of the later Sultans. The Turk may justly boast that for the first time in several centuries he is master in his own house. He even prides himself that he has achieved the rank of a Great Power. It has still to be seen what use he will make of his new freedom, and whether he can live up to the rank he claims. The Turks have gained more than the most sanguine can have expected a few months ago, but the situation which confronts them is not brilliant, even if the existence of the questions postponed at Lausanne be left out of account.

Turkey is impoverished by many years of war. Reflection, therefore, should have a chastening effect upon Turkish gratification at the terms they have obtained from the Allies. Well used, those terms may become the foundation of a new Turkey, which will more than fulfil the reasonable ambitions of her people. This country would view such a development with good-will and sympathy, and Englishmen would be glad to encourage it did it seem promising to them. But the peace of Lausanne is no more than a foundation; all depends on the character of the structure which the Turks may rear upon it.

"PAY OR WE STAY."

FRANCE AND THE RUHR.

"Pay or we stay." In those words the speeches of M. Poincaré this afternoon may be summed up, observes *The Times* Correspondent in Paris in a message last night. These speeches, although containing a reply to several incidental points which have been raised, are chiefly interesting in that M. Poincaré again affirmed his determination to pursue his policy to the end. Nevertheless, it is, perhaps, something that M. Poincaré lays down the alternatives to a prolonged occupation of the Ruhr. "Pay or we stay" is taken to mean "We will leave if you pay." How Germany can pay is not revealed, but if a method could be found, then M. Poincaré promises to go, and the problem of the Ruhr would resolve itself.

I understand that no arrangements have been made for a meeting of Mr. Baldwin with M. Poincaré, though many suggestions have been made that the opportunity for such a meeting should not be lost. On the French side there appears to be a genuine desire for private conversations, and the Belgian Government is even more favourable to the idea of bringing together the Allied Ministers. It is not, however, felt here that the moment has arrived when any formal conference could profitably be held.

NEW GERMAN EFFORTS.

FIRST EMERGENCY ORDER.

In a message from Berlin yesterday, *The Times* Correspondent states:—The first of the Government's emergency orders has now been issued. It has taken the form of a compulsory loan, the contributions to which are calculated in proportion to contributions to the compulsory bread levy. For every ten thousand paper marks paid under the bread levy the individual taxpayer must pay one gold mark, and the business corporation two gold marks. The contributions are payable in selected foreign currency or foreign investments, and only if the taxpayer declares on oath that he has none are the contributions payable in paper marks under conditions that have still to be framed.

It is not clear what amount of revenue the Government expects to obtain from this measure. Its more interesting aspect is the indication it gives of the measures by which the Government hopes to proceed to a new *interim* currency. With these proceeds and the yielding of new taxes it is hoped to make a real beginning with the overdue financial reform.

LIMITATION OF AIRCRAFT.

MR. COOLIDGE SYMPATHETIC.

The New York Correspondent of *The Times* says:—President Coolidge has indicated his sympathy with the desire of the American Legion for an international conference to achieve the limitation of aircraft, but he believes that the time is inopportune. Unquestionably, Mr. Coolidge will watch the international situation with a view of availing himself of the first opportunity when conditions point to possible success to invite the leading nations to such a conference. Meanwhile, this disposition is likely to manifest itself in some curtailment of the American air programme as an example to other nations.

ONE-DAY PREMIER.

POLITICAL CRISIS IN JAPAN.

TOKIO, Sunday.

Count Uchida, who yesterday was installed as Premier *ad interim*, to-day presented the resignation of himself and his colleagues.—(Reuter.)

Count Uchida was born in 1865, and entered the diplomatic service in 1887. One of his first appointments abroad was to the secretaryship of the Japanese Legation in London. In 1901 he went to Peking as Minister, and in the next year became Japanese Vice-Minister for Foreign Affairs. Then came the war with Russia, and the post became one of great responsibility, for it was a matter of the highest importance to Japan to avoid complications with China at a time when Japan was fighting the sternest struggle of her existence.

To a large extent the war was fought on Chinese territory, and it was a tribute to Count Uchida that "incidents" were averted. For his services at this critical period he received the dignity of Baron.

In 1907 he was Ambassador at Vienna, and in 1909 went to Washington. Two years later he was created Viscount.

In 1915 he was appointed to the Petrograd Embassy, leaving Russia after the overthrow of the Tsarist *régime*. In 1918 he became Minister for Foreign Affairs, and two years later was raised to the dignity of Count.

When, in 1921, the Prime Minister, Kei Hava, was assassinated, Count Uchida acted temporarily as head of the Government until the late Baron Kato was appointed to the post.

EX-MINISTER ASSASSINATED.

BRAGUE, Sunday.

M. Daskaliff, Bulgarian Minister at Prague during M. Stambulisky's Government, was to-day attacked by a young man named Atanas Nikoloff, of Sofia, who fired four revolver shots at him, two of which seriously wounded him in the stomach. M. Daskaloff died in hospital.—(Reuter.)

FATAL MOTOR CYCLE RACE.

HONG KONG, Sunday.

Two serious accidents, one of which resulted fatally, occurred at the motor cycle trials which were held here yesterday afternoon. Mr. H. S. Burleigh, late of Taikoo Dockyard, died in hospital following a compound fracture of the leg, and Mr. H. J. Cooper, a warder at Hong Kong Prison, fractured his skull and was removed to hospital in a very critical condition.—(Reuter.)

The curse of the working man is that he likes novelty.—Mr. Ben Tillett.

MARK SEIZURES.

MANY FRENCH RAIDS IN THE RUHR.

MR. BALDWIN IN PARIS.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

COLOGNE, Sunday.

An Essen message states that yesterday afternoon, shortly after two o'clock, French detectives entered the offices of the chief cashier of the Essen Municipality, and confiscated a sum of 100,000 million marks.

The officials were at the time engaged in paying the employés, and, as a result of the confiscation, many men had to go without their wages. A sum of 6,000 million marks was seized earlier in the day at a railwaymen's meeting in Essen.

In addition to the above, the following sums are reported to have been seized in the course of the French offensive against the paper mark:—

Oberkassel—3,300 millions (a sum earmarked for the payment of pensions to war widows and orphans).
Recklinghausen—12,000 millions.
Horsp-Emscher—4,000 millions.
Dortmund—100,000 millions.
Bochum Savings Bank—10,500 millions, and several thousand millions at a savings bank branch in the same town.
Landau and Kaiserlautern—Several thousand millions.

The deportation of German railwaymen who refuse to work for the French Railway Administration has re-commenced with added severity, and, according to yesterday's message, close on 700 have been expelled with their families during the past two days.

A labour deputation from the House of Commons is reported to have attended a farewell party given to a number of men about to be deported from Duisberg. One of the deputation addressed the men, and promised to commence a campaign against deportation on his return to England.

This speaker is also reported to have sympathised with the railwaymen in their attitude of passive resistance, and advised them to hold out till they obtain justice.

MR. BALDWIN IN PARIS.

MORE SPEECHES BY THE FRENCH PREMIER.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

PARIS, Sunday.

Mr. Baldwin and Mrs. Baldwin arrived last night on their way to Aix-les-Bains. The French Government was represented at the station by a member of the Protocol, who was photographed with them on the platform of the Gare de Lyon.

M. Poincaré had already left Paris for Lorraine, where he made two more speeches, to-day.

In diplomatic circles and in the Press the outlook is discussed hopefully. It seems to be taken for granted that the Prime Minister will meet M. Poincaré, perhaps with Lord Curzon, on his way home in the middle of September, and in the meantime it is supposed that the situation, if benefited by the "silence cure," will lend itself to successful treatment.

The Belgian Note to Britain will be delivered in London to-morrow evening, and is spoken of here as likely to help the healing process.

It replies with vigour to Lord Curzon's paragraph on Belgian priority, shows by what means Germany can pay 50 milliards interest and sinking fund, argues that the British and French Notes reveal a possibility of agreement, and, in particular, expresses hope of an Allied meeting.

M. Poincaré spoke to-day, first at Gondrecourt, at the unveiling of a plaque to commemorate the arrival of the first American contingent at the front, and at Chassy, later, he dwelt on the calamities which would have resulted to Great Britain and Europe had Germany been victorious.

"From the Channel coast England would have remained under the fire of German 'Berthas,' her navy would have been destroyed, and her merchant marine annihilated, and her communications with her Colonies endangered. Anglo-Saxon, as well as Latin, civilisation would have been shaken, and Germany would have become the ruler of human kind."

France had the right, said the Premier, to recall her anxiety, and to insist on the execution of the Treaty and her moderate demands. If the Germans refuse to make the honourable effort made by France 52 years ago, "they will force us," he continued, "to carry out the threats they then addressed to us, and to say: 'Pay us, or we shall stay.'"

THE COLD SHOULDER.

HERR STRESEMANN'S BAVARIAN VISIT.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

BERLIN, Sunday.

Although repeatedly warned that his life would not be worth a paper mark if he came to Bavaria, Herr Stresemann yesterday entered that stronghold of Monarchist reaction

TO-DAY'S POLLING: FINAL APPEALS TO THE ELECTORS.

CLOSING SCENES IN CLARE.

SEVENTY MEETINGS IN A DAY.

DR. MacNEILL'S WARM RECEPTION.

FROM OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.

ENNIS, Sunday Night.

A fortnight of strenuous electioneering activity in Clare was only brought to a conclusion at midnight to-night. Till 12 o'clock all parties were busy in the constituency, and it wanted but a few minutes of that hour when the last of seventy meetings held during the day came to an end.

Starting at an early hour in the morning, the several parties visited nearly every town and village in the county. Strangely enough, the only candidates who included Ennis in their itinerary were Messrs. Hogan and McNamara, the Labour nominees, and their demonstration here was easily one of the most successful of those held during the day. Close on two thousand workers marched through the streets, headed by four bands. The meeting took place in O'Connell square, and the remarks of the different speakers were cheered with great gusto.

Nearly thirty meetings were addressed by the Cumann na nGaedheal candidates, and almost as many by the Farmers' party.

The Republican candidates devoted a good portion of their time to East Clare, which is said to be fairly solid for the Government and Farmers' nominees.

At Scariff in that side of the constituency the Republican director of elections and Mrs. Thomas Clarke addressed an unusually large gathering, and later in the evening they spoke at a successful meeting in Killaloe. All the meetings held by the different parties were well attended, but none of them was marked by any notable display of enthusiasm.

The campaign, so far as the candidates are concerned, is now closed. To-morrow the voters will have their say, and by Tuesday they will have pronounced their verdict on the merits. Business men and others are leaving the seaside, and returning here to exercise the franchise. Not for many weeks have there been so few holiday-makers of that class in local seaside resorts like Lahinch and Kilkee, and hotel keepers declare the change to be due entirely to the fact I have mentioned.

The number of meetings held in the constituency to-day represented an increase of nearly fifty on that held on any other day during the campaign.

Dr. MacNeill was the principal speaker at the Cumann na nGaedheal meetings, and on the Republican side the principal speakers were Mr. Comyn, K.C., and Mrs. Clarke. At the Republican meetings in Scariff one of the speakers said that when Mrs. de Valera was asked for a message to the people of Clare she replied:—"I love Clare; I love every stone in it. What message can I send its people when my heart is there?"

MEETING AT KILRUSH.

Many Cumann na nGaedheal meetings were held in West Clare to-day.

At Kilrush there was a remarkable demonstration, at which Dr. MacNeill was the principal speaker. Coming to Kilrush last night he was met some miles outside the town by a procession of motor-cars. Tar barrels blazed along the streets as the party entered the town. Dr. MacNeill was called on to give a short address, and he did so amid great enthusiasm.

A no less cordial reception was extended to him to-day, when at the public meeting he was presented with an address of welcome from the Urban Council. He also addressed five meetings at Labasheeda and Kildysart, and in the evening proceeded to Carrigaholt to carry out a further engagement.

Speaking at Kilrush, Dr. MacNeill declared that while England might have got a label out of the trappings of the Treaty Ireland got the goods. As to the declaration there of Mrs. Tom Clarke, that he "called off the rising of Easter, 1916," that, he said, was not true. The Committee of the Volunteers, of which he was Chairman, was not aware of the rising. It had not been consulted. If the men responsible thought that he would be against the rising they were entitled to keep him in the dark, and they did so. He had no fault to find with that. Padraig Pearse declared that he thought that he (Dr. MacNeill) had acted rightly in doing his duty, as he saw it, and a similar declaration was given under the hand of Thomas M'Donagh.

Ireland, concluded Dr. MacNeill, was a free nation, whose liberty was limited only by its surroundings.

The Very Rev. Dean Macinerney presided.

When one of the four local Cumann na nGaedheal candidates—Mr. O'Regan—began to address the people outside the church at Lissycasy and Kilmihill he was met with interruptions, and was unable to continue his speech. The opposition was organised by young people, whose conduct was condemned by members of both congregations. Mr. O'Regan was the only speaker to attend at either place.

BUSINESS AND THE DAIL.

DUBLIN CANDIDATE ON THE POSITION.

Mr. John Good, who is standing as a Business candidate for County Dublin, interviewed at his election rooms, gave his views on some of the most important matters that will engage the attention of the new Dail.

Questioned as to his reasons for entering the political field, Mr. Good said:—"I and my colleagues are satisfied that there is an urgent need for representatives from trade and commerce in Southern Ireland to offer themselves for election in the new Dail, because it will be engaged on many problems which deeply interest and affect the industrial welfare of the country.

"The new Dail will also lay the foundations on which a new Ireland will be built, in dealing with matters of such grave importance that it is absolutely essential that we should have business men of long experience on the councils of the Irish Free State, for the purpose of guiding the Government to wise conclusions. That is the principal reason which prompted my colleagues and myself to offer ourselves as candidates for the forthcoming elections.

"In dealing with problems of public importance I have had some considerable experience. I have been honorary secretary of the Chamber of Commerce for some years, and was also President of that body in 1920. In addition to the experience gained there, I have been the representative of Southern Ireland on the Council of the Association of Chambers of Commerce of Great Britain, and had the privilege of attending there at the monthly meetings for a number of years, when questions of grave national and international importance were considered and discussed by the leading commercial men, in addition to hearing the views and opinions from time to time of some of the leading commercial men from Chambers of Commerce from other parts of the world.

"This experience, in addition to that which I have gained as a member of the Pembroke Urban District Council for the past 20 years, and a past chairman of that body, will, I feel, be useful in dealing with the problems which one expects to be called upon to deal with in the new Dail."

Mr. Good said that, like all other Business candidates, he was a whole-hearted supporter of the Treaty which, he believed, offered the only sound basis on which the prosperity and peace of the country could be sustained.

With regard to agriculture in the Free State, Mr. Good said that, although essentially a business man, he readily recognised and admitted that agriculture was the main industry of the country. He considered that agriculture was now greatly hampered by high rail and other traffic charges.

Regarding taxation, he said that industry was suffering severely from taxation of two kinds. "First of all," he said, "we have the highest rate of income tax that exists in these countries to-day. On top of that we have a higher rate for Corporation Tax than exists in the Sister Isle. In addition, we have heavy local charges — particularly so in municipal and urban areas—and it is obvious that it should be the first duty of the new Government, in order to encourage industry and to decrease unemployment, that these burdens, which are seriously affecting industrial development, should be lightened at the earliest possible moment."

PRESIDENT'S BUSY DAY.

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fired from the crowds, but on the advice of the President the people maintained order, and the proceedings proceeded without further interruption.

IMPORTANCE OF THE ELECTION.

President Cosgrave said that that was the fifth meeting that he had addressed this day, and he repeated everything which he had said. He hoped that his hearers would have consideration for him. This election was one of the most important that had been held in their country. In this contest they had only two parties who could possibly secure a majority. Their first consideration ought to be on which side they were going to vote so as to secure the majority. If they decided to cast their votes in favour of those so-called constitutional Republicans, they would be taking a decision which they would regret before they were very much older. They had the experience of non-Constitutional Republicanism for something like 18 months, and it had not improved the country. Every county in Ireland had been a witness to the destruction that had been caused. Every order of the community suffered by reason of the destruction. That was his experience of the way in which the robbers, the looters and plunderers had benefited the country for the past 18 months. In this contest they had the personal issue presented to them.

This was not a contest for personal brilliance. It was a contest for the security of the nation. (Applause.) It was not a contest in which they would have to bear in mind the great things that any one man had done or which some people had done during the past three or four years. They had to consider not the bravery of a flying column, not the individual work of a small section, but the great forward march of the nation. (Cheers.)

Remember, he said, those who will not take part in the march and those who separate themselves from the rest of the nation. Those who prided themselves in intellectual superiority or political superiority and would not take their place in the onward march of the nation presented no reason why the people should support them during the elections. They should remember that an army marched, not by reason of its best and most able marchers, but by reason of the step which every company and every column and every man could possibly make. (Cheers.) There was no use in talking about issues in this election by Republican or Treaty.

DOMINION HOME RULE.

Who, said the President, has got a Republic before you, even supposing you voted for it? (Cheers.) I say, when we consider the Treaty, if Dominion rule for the whole of Ireland were offered me to-morrow as a gift or a Republic for the twenty-six counties, I would have Dominion Home Rule for all Ireland. (Loud cheers.) The people, he said, who talked about Dominion Home Rule were the section who made Dominion Home Rule difficult and almost impossible. They were only political masqueraders. The warriors who said twelve months ago that a Republic was possible had gone down before the will of the people. Terrorism was not going to keep a single voter from going to the poll and exercising his rights of will and citizenship in this State, a right which these people tried to deprive him of during twelve long and weary months. (Cheers.) Having won liberty they were not now going to yield it up because of a few people who were related to somebody who fought in the struggle for freedom. (Applause.) Of those who fought and took part in the fight few there were who were rewarded for the great fight that they had put up.

People shouted, "Up de Valera." I can tell you, said President Cosgrave, de Valera is safer where he is than ever he was before. (Laughter and cheers.) It is not, he said, going to be a question of up this or up that, but a question of up this whole nation. (Loud cheers.) Twelve months ago those who were talking about de Valera thought that they could stop the people from expressing their opinion upon any issue, and thought to do so. To-day I tell the people of this country that the issue is not one of destruction or of the hand of brother against brother. Eighteen months ago, when this Treaty was arrived at between England and Ireland, they had thousands of prisoners in English hands who had been fighting for freedom, and they had 25, or 26 men under sentence of death, and he was sorry to say that the people who were now shouting for a Republic did not do very much to secure the liberty which they had won.

WORK OF CONSTRUCTION.

When, said the President, your liberty was threatened and the welfare of the country was threatened, what did those people do to defend it? ("Nothing.") There are people here now talking to you about maintaining an existing Republic. These people had not got as much money to maintain it as the Dublin Corporation would spend in a year. The present Government had got something upon which this nation could make a start, upon which constructional work could be done, and upon which they could achieve freedom and liberty, which they had not been able to do for the last 700 years. They were opposed by people who had not the military strategy of niggers.

They had before them in Dr. White and Mr. Brennock the men who represented security, progress, advancement and national freedom, and he urged the people to vote for them.

Dr. White and Mr. Brennock, the two candidates; Senator Kenny, Alderman T. D. Connolly and the Rev. Father Kelleher also addressed the meeting.

COUNTY TIPPERARY.

PARTY ELECTION MEETINGS.

The Cumann na nGaedheal candidates, says our Clonmel Correspondent, are holding large and enthusiastic meetings in various parts of the South Riding.

At Cahir a public meeting took place in the Square. It passed off without incident.

The Rev. Father Hearns, C.C., who presided, emphasised the need for a strong Government and for firm administration of the law. This, he said, was essential to the welfare of the country. President Cosgrave and his gallant Ministers, undeterred by the revolvers, torches, and petrol tins of the disruptionists, had carried on heroically, and had laid the foundations of a strong Government. They took the cause of Ireland in hand and "made good," and it was the duty of the electors to give their first preference votes for the Government candidates. The election was the most important in Irish history. The very existence of the nation was at stake, and those who did not go to the polls on Monday and vote were slackers of the worst type. He appealed for support for the Government candidates.

A public meeting, called by the Farmers' Party, was held at Parnell street, Clonmel, when one of the candidates, Mr. M. R. Heffernan, delivered a vigorous speech in support of the farmers' claims to strong Parliamentary representation.

At a farmers' meeting at Fethard there was much interruption, and a futile attempt was made to disorganise the gathering.

Meetings in support of Mr. Gleeson, Larkinite candidate, were also held in Clonmel and Cashel.

MR. DAVIN'S REPLY.

Mr. William Davin writes:—"The Farmers' Party in its advertisement states that I refer "disparagingly" to the Farmers' Party and the Farmers' Union. Your published reports of my statements may be taken as a fair interpretation of my speeches, and I stand by them; but instead of endeavouring to disprove these statements, the Farmers' Party, through the medium of their advertisement, descend to personalities and abuse.

"I am not ashamed to be referred to as the son of a farmer—a small tenant farmer—compelled, like thousands of others, through economic conditions to seek my living elsewhere than at home. I am not, however, a professional Labour leader, and during my sixteen years' attachment to the trade union movement have never received remuneration of any kind for the services rendered by me to the cause of Labour.

"I have received exactly the same expenses as the individual members of the farmers' Party in connection with my Parliamentary duties, and I, at any rate, have little doubt that the electors of Leix and Offaly are satisfied that my efforts on their behalf in An Dail compare favourably with those of any member of the Farmers' Union."

COUNTY LIMERICK.

Dr. Hayes and Messrs. Walsh, Smyth, and Nolan addressed an enthusiastic meeting in support of Cumann na nGaedheal candidates on the Square, Abbeyfeale, on Saturday night.

WHIRLWIND TOUR BY MR. O'HIGGINS.

FIVE MEETINGS IN COUNTY DUBLIN LAST NIGHT.

FACTS ABOUT THE OATH.

Mr. Kevin O'Higgins concluded his campaign at a late hour last night, when he addressed a meeting in Main street, Swords. A big crowd had assembled, though the meeting was announced for 8.30 o'clock, and the moon was high in the heavens when Mr. O'Higgins drove into the village, after a very successful meeting at Ballyboghil, several miles away.

Mr. O'Higgins's first meeting was at Clondalkin, the second at Blackrock, the third at Skerries, the fourth at Ballyboghil, and the fifth and last at Swords.

The local brass and reed band turned out at Skerries, and the welcome accorded Mr. O'Higgins was of the most cordial character.

When the truce came, Mr. O'Higgins said that he did not meet anyone who was sorry it had come.

A man might have an ideal, but because of that ideal was he entitled to sentence the country to death? When the Treaty was signed there was no reasonable prospects of doing better. If the Republic was let down, it was let down in the Mansion House in July, 1921, when de Valera used the language that was inconsistent with the existing Republic.

His oath was submitted, and there was no difference between it and the Treaty oath, because de Valera recognised His Brittanic Majesty as head of the Associated States. What had the difference, or want of difference, in the two oaths cost the country? Their houses were burnt, their railways were wrecked, and their banks robbed.

The Treaty gave them their own army, their own police, the power to make their own laws—as much freedom to deal with their own affairs as any country on God's earth. And they won that Treaty although they were up against the most brilliant combination England had ever seen, or probably ever would see. (Cheers.)

Arthur Griffith said: "There is flood tide now for the Irish nation," and a majority, acting with a full sense of their responsibilities, accepted the Treaty. But they did not accept it as a final or an ideal settlement.

They accepted it as something which gave the people power to build up the Irish nation, to find work for idle hands and food for hungry mouths in homes where the cupboards were empty. Arthur Griffith was asked did he regard the Treaty as the last word between England and Ireland. He said in reply: "No; no more than I regard this as the final generation." (Cheers.)

Going on to deal with last year's events, Mr. O'Higgins said that it was their duty to govern or clear out. Resignation or abdication was the easier course if they were to consider their own personal interests. If President Cosgrave took that course his home would not have been burned and the speaker's father would not have been murdered. They had their responsibilities to the plain people of Ireland.

If they resigned they would have been false to their trust and they would have betrayed the Irish people.

They were not out against people who were opposed to the Treaty; they were out against those whose arguments were the gun and the torch and the petrol can. Those methods would not settle the problems of the nation. The Ulster problem could only be settled by letting the people in the North see that it was in their interests to come in with the rest of Ireland, and they were coming in until de Valera started his antics.

If they were Orangemen would there be any inducement to them to come into the Free State? ("No.") The Boundary Commission would give its findings, and those findings would be carried into effect. But there would still be some portion of the six counties standing out from the Irish nation, and they could only be got in by winning them in; by showing them that they had nothing to fear, and that it would be in their own interests to come in. (Cheers.)

High-spirited youths were led astray by the oath. Because they took it from some captain or sergeant behind a ditch, they thought it their duty to go out and burn and rob in support of a Republic which de Valera let down.

Those young men were tricked by the man who recognised His Britannic Majesty as head of the Associated States, and who was prepared to contribute a certain sum to supplement His Majesty's income. There was never a greater fraud perpetrated.

The idea that a man was better than his neighbour because he had a gun in his pocket must be stamped out. (Cheers.)

BLACKROCK MEETING.

Mr. William Knight, U.D.C., who presided at the Blackrock meeting, said that almost everyone of the other candidates, except a few die-hards, was in favour of the present Government being returned.

Mr. Kevin O'Higgins, who was loudly cheered, said that Michael Collins, who stood between the country and the terror and who fought to a standstill, was shot by his own countrymen in his native county. When the truce came in July, 1921, he (Mr. O'Higgins) did not know of one who was not glad that they had got a truce. They did not put the British out of Ireland by military pressure, but they did succeed in making their administration both difficult and expensive. There was a kind of stalemate position. In the Secret Session of the Dail, in the Mansion House, following the truce, Mr. de Valera challenged the die-hard Republicans and said that if there were any men amongst them who did not like what he said they could, if necessary, send a man to stand against him for the Presidency. That was the first time that he had heard in Sinn Fein of their demand being lowered or their aims whittled down, but he (Mr. O'Higgins) could not deny the hard logic of the facts and wisdom of what Mr. de Valera had said to them. He looked around to see where the first ink bottle was going to come from, but no bottle came. There was a full attendance, and all the proud fellows were there, but no one stood up and said that he would stand against him for the Presidency. He would not say that they elected him as an anti-Republican on the following day, but he was elected as a non-Republican, having regard to the facts of the situation here and elsewhere—the military, the political and the economic facts, reacting one upon the other. He was certainly re-elected President. There had been talk of subverting the Republic, but it was his conviction that it was let down in July, 1921, when the man was elected President who had used the language the day before in the private session of the Dail which was entirely inconsistent with the idea of an independent Republic. (Applause.)

Dealing with the situation which existed when the Irregulars in the Four Courts seized the motor cars at Ferguson's in Dublin, Mr. O'Higgins said that if they had taken the line of resignation, it would have been the easier thing for them to do; it would have been the more comfortable thing to do, and it would have saved them a great deal of personal worry and anxiety. If President Cosgrave had resigned, his house would not have been burned; if he had resigned his poor uncle would not have been murdered. But none of them had the right to resign, because it would have been to betray to their ruin the plain people of Ireland, who had looked to them to save the Treaty for them. (Applause.) They did not resign, but they arrested Mr. Leo Henderson, the leader of the gang, and rammed him into Mountjoy. They made up their minds to govern or to go down trying. There was never a grosser fraud than to tell high-spirited young men that in the name of an existing Republic they were bound to burn their neighbours' houses, rob banks, and blow up railway bridges. (Applause.) They had stood against anarchy and for the Treaty, because the people wanted that; with their own lives and the lives of those dear to them, and to have done anything else would be to betray them to their bitter ruin. (Applause.)

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DUBLIN LABOUR MEN.

MR. JOHNSON'S EFFORTS.

A largely-attended meeting in support of the Labour candidates for County Dublin—Messrs. Thomas Johnson and B. Kavanagh—took place in Lucan yesterday.

Senator T. Farren urged those present to give their preference votes to the trade union candidates. The men, he said, who stood by the workers, and negotiated for them in their hour of need, were capable of looking after their interests in the Dail.

Mr. B. Kavanagh, who was received with applause, outlined the Labour Party programme, and dealt with the questions of housing and education. He said that, if elected, he would do his best for the workers of the county.

Mr. A. J. Cassidy apologised for the absence of Mr. T. Johnson, who was ill and unable to be present. He said that if any man sacrificed his own personal interests and health on behalf of the workers that man was Thomas Johnson, and he appealed to those present to show their appreciation of his work by placing him at the head of the poll. He criticised the action of the Government in regard to the Reconstruction Commission findings, and said that if the Government had acted upon the recommendations of the Commission 30,000 unemployed, who are now walking the streets, would have had employment. He also referred to the unemployment in the Saggart Paper Mills and Lucan Clothing Factories, which, he alleged, was partly due to the Government's sending orders to England, instead of placing them at home.

Senator J. T. O'Farrell laid particular stress upon the solution of the unemployment problem, and the failure of the Government to provide money for reconstruction. He dealt at length with the question of taxation, and the unfair burden thrown upon the workers' families owing to the heavy tax on foodstuffs, particularly tea, sugar, etc. He appealed to every man and woman in Lucan to support Messrs. Johnson and Kavanagh, whom in return, he said, would support them.

The same speakers addressed a meeting later in Rathcoole.

MR. LARKIN AND PEACE.

Speaking at Townsend street, Dublin, yesterday, in support of the candidature of Messrs. P. T. Daly, John Lawlor, John J. Farrelly, and Edward Tucker, Mr. James Larkin denounced the Government for declaring the polling day a public holiday. Working men, he said, would be at a loss when every shilling was wanted. Candidates who approved of the holiday should be sent about their business. He asked them to support those who had agreed to serve the interests of the working classes, if elected, and declared that the men for whom he stood all had good records as trade unionists. He, himself, was altogether in favour of peace, and if the workers would think matters out and then come together they could have peace within a very short time. There was too much hatred and bitterness in the country. That must be got rid of before they could settle down.

Mr. P. T. Daly said that they would go to the Dail to sit, act and vote together in the interests of the working classes. If they failed, they should be recalled. To attain their object they were prepared, if necessary, "to raise hell" in the Dail.

The other candidates also spoke.

MR. GAVAN DUFFY AND THE CABINET.

REPLY TO MINISTERS.

Mr. Gavan Duffy held his only public meeting as a candidate for the representation of County Dublin at Kingstown on Sunday afternoon.

Senator Colonel Maurice Moore having addressed the meeting,

Mr. Gavan Duffy said that he came there to answer Mr. Kevin O'Higgins, who had charged him with cowardice in high office, and he would nail that lie once and for all. He claimed that he had just enough moral courage to do what might seem to him to be right, whether it was for the best or not, or whether it was popular or not. He did what he believed to be straight and honest when he resigned from the Ministry. It would have been easy for him to have followed the line of least resistance, and to go on with the crowd, and follow the man with the big gun and big money. The fact was that when he resigned he did so in the same way as the Young Irelanders did when they left Conciliation Hall, when they found that O'Connell was no longer doing his duty by the people. He resigned when he found that his colleagues were not doing their duty, and in doing so he followed the example of better Irishmen before him.

Mr. Duffy said that on the 23rd July, twelve months ago, he wrote to Michael Collins, who was a very old friend of his, and who was the greatest man that he had ever met, and a man to whom one could speak plainly and openly. He told Michael Collins that he had decided to resign, as since he (General Collins and the other military Ministers had gone to Portobello, the remnants of the Cabinet had been dominated by a spirit of narrowness and intolerance. He was loyally with the Government on the war decision, but on most other issues that arose he found himself nearly always in a minority of one. That day they had the last straw when the Government decided against recognising the jurisdiction of their judges appointed by the Dail to deal with *habeas corpus* cases. That, he wrote to General Collins, was, to his mind, the limit, and was absolutely indefensible as well as foolish and unnecessary from a practical point of view, and put the Government wholly in the wrong. He also wrote a letter to the papers dealing with the matter, and, feeling that the Government would be inclined to put the censor on to the letter, he wrote to Mr. Desmond Fitzgerald saying that his letter must be published in full, and asked him to give an assurance that the Censor would not interfere. Mr. Fitzgerald, who was now amusing himself going round the constituency echoing the charges of his leader, wrote in reply that, though the Government did not agree with the letter, they would not stop it. Mr. Desmond Fitzgerald's letter began with "My dear George," and ended with "Best wishes." Was that, asked Mr. Duffy of his audience, the way you address a fellow who is ratting from the Government to save his skin? He had read these letters to show that this question of "ratting" had only been raised for electioneering purposes.

THE CABINET MEETINGS.

Providing, Mr. Duffy said, that on July 26, 1922, he found himself at variance with the other Ministers on the questions of the prorogation of the Dail, the methods of propaganda, and as to the prisoners, he said that he told the Cabinet that he objected to their propaganda, because it was increasing bitterness. Referring further to the business of Cabinet meetings, Mr. Duffy spoke of amendments that he had proposed to the executions resolution. He said that he realised that in time of war extreme measures were necessary, and he supported extreme measures on two conditions. He proposed first that the men should get the treatment of prisoners of war, to which they were entitled under the resolution of the Red Cross Conference, and, secondly, that executions or other military punishments should be inflicted only in accordance with the rules of the Hague Convention dealing with war crime. Why should they who knew nothing of these things break out on their own and not accept the standard of other countries, and execute people after a trial in secret on what was admittedly a pretext? The whole thing, said Mr. Duffy, was mismanaged. He said that he stood for the Treaty, not because he liked it, but because they could not get anything else.

He heard of a good many people that were so bitter against the Free State that they would wreck it before they got anything better to put in its place. The country was not wedded to Mr. Cosgrave, and he thought that these premature tactics of the other gentlemen who were so mad with what had been done that they wanted to sweep the whole thing away were to be deprecated. He recognised that after civil war the position of a Government that obtained a military victory was a very difficult one, and that their honest opponents would recognise that also. What they wanted was a Dail and Senate prepared to forgive and forget, and ready to hold out the hand of fellowship. If the men in power showed a generous spirit, he believed that a generous spirit would be shown in return. Most men and women would hold as he did, that they could not afford to continue this infernal row in the present condition of the country. He stood for peace, and would say to the politicians, "For God's sake, drop this bitterness and give the people of Ireland a chance." (Applause.)

DUBLIN ELECTIONS.

CASE FOR GOVERNMENT CANDIDATES.

NEED OF STABILITY.

Meetings in support of the Cuman na nGaedheal candidates for County Dublin were addressed by Messrs. Desmond Fitzgerald, Bart. O'Connor, and Mr. W. O'Reilly at Ringsend, Sandymount, and Donnybrook yesterday evening. Mr. Liam O'Byrne presided at each meeting.

Mr. Bart. O'Connor, speaking at Ringsend, said that the claim of the Cumann na nGaedheal candidates was simply and solely that they were supporters of the Government, and that the people had authorised them to carry out their mandate and will. The dispute to-day about the Treaty was as keen as on the day on which it was signed. When the call came from Michael Collins for men, before the Treaty was signed, he could only raise 200; but to-day there were 10,000 so-called heroes locked up in jail, and fed at the expense of the people. He (Mr. O'Connor) had been a prisoner when it was an honour to be a prisoner, because he fought the foreign foe, and he took his gruel like a man, because he was a prisoner for a good cause; but these men were prisoners for a rotten job, in trying to set brother against brother, and they were squealing because they knew they were on the wrong side. The men who brought the nation to victory deserved every support that the nation could give them. Document No. 2 was not a Republic. If the people did not return to power a strong Government with an overwhelming majority they would not have the security they needed; but with security they would be able to borrow the money that was needed by the nation.

Mr. Desmond Fitzgerald told his audience that Mr. de Valera got Mr. Austin Stack to agree to his proposal to pay a levy to the King. Reviewing the history of the Treaty, and the events that followed it, he said that the party opposed to the Government had not succeeded because they had not the people with them. The Government recognised the people as the masters in this country, and had hastened to pass the Franchise Bill in order to give a vote to every man and woman in the country, because they believed that every man and woman had an equal share in the country and an equal say in the management of its affairs. They had seen what their representatives had done. If they approved of what had been done they could return them to power. (A Voice—"So we will.") If the people who were against the Treaty were right, they were now self-condemned criminals, as they now admitted that there was no need for the destruction that they caused. They had tried to bully and force by hunger the people to agree with them, and they had tried to terrorise the people as the British had done before, and now they asked the people to vote for them.

A JOB WELL DONE.

The Irish people had given their representatives a job to do, and their representatives had done it as well as they were able under the circumstances, and without putting themselves on the back too much, they were satisfied that they had done it as well as, and better than, many people could have done it under the circumstances. The Government had made mistakes. They could have avoided that if they had done nothing; but if things had gone badly they would have been blamed. They could have resigned, but if they had resigned, practically every man now present would have been walking the streets looking for work. They had to establish a Government of some sort, and it was a Government that mattered, more than the kind of Government it was. The Government had not shirked anything that had to be done for the welfare of the country, and if in the future a similar attempt at dictatorship was made in this country they would go as far, and further, if necessary. They would go just as far as necessary to put down anarchy in this country. He thought that no Labour Government could have done any better for this country than the Government that had just gone out, and he did not think that the farmers could have done any more.

The future of Ireland rested on the shoulders of the people. If Ireland was prosperous the people would be responsible for its prosperity, and if it went to ruin they would be responsible for its ruin.

Mr. M. W. O'Reilly said that if the electors were completely and entirely satisfied, taking all the circumstances into consideration, that President Cosgrave and his Government should continue in office for the next four years, they should vote for the Cumann na nGaedheal candidates. Personally, he was satisfied that it was only the late Government that should take up the reins of government.

Speaking at Sandymount, Mr. Bat O'Connor said that only for the fifty million pounds wasted in destruction Ireland could have had an income tax of 1s. 6d. in the £ instead of 5s.

An interrupter asked why was Tim Healy put in his present job.

Mr. O'Connor said that when funds were not coming to Ireland as freely as they were now, Mr. Tim Healy was the man that defended Charles O'Hegarty, Sean Molloy and Sean McDermott without one penny. (Applause.)

The candidates delivered similar addresses at Donnybrook.

RATHFARNHAM MEETING.

Mr. Desmond Fitzgerald and Mr. Bartholomew O'Connor were the speakers at a Cumann na nGaedheal meeting at Rathfarnham yesterday.

When Mr. O'Connor asked the meeting to remember the time of the Truce, there was a shout of "We do not forget the Four Courts." This was answered by cries of "Shut up" and "Chuck him out."

Mr. O'Connor—These people put up a very bad case when they will not listen to the other side. Continuing, he said that he was as much for a Republic as any man listening to him. A secret session of the Dail met in the Dublin Mansion House after the Truce, and both sides agreed there that a Republic was a physical impossibility and that it was "up" to them to get the best they could. (Cheers.)

He had listened to some of the speeches of the other side, and he had not heard one single constructive sentence; there was nothing to say how they were going to finance anything or how they were going to raise money for houses. "Our Government," he said, "want to raise £25,000,000 for housing. How are we going to raise it? By returning a strong Government to power with a strong working majority. (Hear, hear.) When you want this money you will get it quite easily at 4½ per cent." He appealed to them to vote, not for any particular party, but for the people who would ensure for their country the security and peace essential to real progress.

Mr. Fitzgerald said that the Irregulars had waged a blackguardly fight throughout the country, and now they wanted the people to vote for them. They had said before that they were prepared to stand by the vote of the country, but instead of doing so they went out and did £50,000,000 worth of damage.

The man who was a Protestant or a Unionist had an equal right in the country. (Hear, hear.) There would be no ascendancy in Ireland. Certain men had been elected to the Senate to make up a lack of representation in the Dail, and it had been the Government's chief aim to see that all sections were represented. As regarded the men in jail, he hoped that when it was possible to release them they would settle down in peace. They were not going to say to them: "You have no rights in this country because you fought against the Irish people." But they were taking no risks in the matter, and only those whom it was safe to release would be liberated until such time as there was such a state of stability as would preclude them from doing any harm.

He asked them, in conclusion, was there any other Government that could have done better than they did during the past year?

CORK OFFICE ROBBED.

The Cork offices of Messrs. Guinness and Son, brewers, were raided by three armed men on Friday, who, having intimidated the staff with revolvers, stole £150.

One of the causes of gambling is the deadly monotony of the daily round in which many people are obliged to spend their lives. —The Bishop of Lichfield.

BISHOP AND ELECTORS.

HOW TO VOTE.

At all the Masses in Cork yesterday a letter was read from the Bishop of Cork (Dr. Cohalan), dealing with the elections and pointing out that the people had passed through a period of bloodshed and pillage, and recommended the electors how to vote. He suggested that all persons, young and old, should record their votes. He recommended that they should vote for those who would co-operate in establishing good and stable government in the country, for those who would give security to life and home and property, to rich and poor, and who would restore social life in the land in conformity with God's Commandments.

His lordship added that the election day will be an eventful one for Ireland, and expressed the hope that the electors will be effective in restoring order, and that when the election is over all may live in justice and peace and charity with one another.

SHOTS IN WATERFORD.

CANDIDATE'S PROCESSION DISPERSED.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

WATERFORD, Sunday.

In an interview with Press representatives after his meeting to-night, Captain Redmond stated that on Friday morning posters were ordered to be printed announcing that he would hold a meeting in the Mall, outside the Imperial Hotel, at 8.30 p.m. It was to be preceded by a procession through the city, in which four bands were to participate.

"On Saturday evening," said Captain Redmond, "my agent, Mr. Nolan, received a letter from the Cumann na nGaedheal agent informing him that President Cosgrave was to address a meeting in the Mall at 8.15, and asking him not to play the bands passing through the meeting. This would naturally have taken place of the original route was adhered to.

"Immediately on receipt of this letter, after consultation with me, he wrote to the Cumann na nGaedheal agent informing him that in view of the circumstances we would alter our route and delay our procession, timing it to arrive in the Mall opposite the Imperial Hotel by another route about 10 o'clock.

"This was done. The procession started at the appointed hour in Mayor's Walk, and proceeded by the ordered route. It was of very large dimensions, and was largely composed of women. As the bands were about to enter the Mall they were suddenly fired upon by the military, and the crowd dispersed in all directions.

"It was impossible for me to hold a meeting in any of the adjoining streets, as members of the Government forces were running about through the crowds firing shots.

"I consider this the most scandalous outrage and Government tyranny yet exercised, even in Ireland. Our procession was perfectly peaceful, as they all have been. I consider President Cosgrave owes an apology, both to me and to the people of Waterford."

It is stated that some people were knocked down and trampled upon in the stampede which followed the revolver shots, of which there were several volleys. It was also stated that several band instruments were either injured or destroyed.

MAJOR COOPER'S CANDIDATURE.

FINAL MEETING AT DALKEY.

Major Bryan Cooper brought his electioneering campaign to a close on Saturday night at a largely attended meeting in Dalkey Town Hall. Mr. Eyre Powell presided. On the platform were Major Cooper's mother, Mrs. Frances Cooper, and his two eldest children.

Mr. R. G. Leonard, K.C., speaking in support of Major Cooper's candidature, said that he had satisfied himself that Major Cooper would be a useful and efficient member, and that he could be relied upon to do all that anyone could do to promote and safeguard those interests which were essential to the well-being of each and every one of them. He had served them faithfully and well in another Parliament, and was not seeking to gain votes by making promises for the fulfilment of which he could have no reasonable hope. He had shown his patriotism by choosing to devote himself to a life of public service here when others similarly circumstanced had chosen a life of leisure and inglorious ease elsewhere. He was a man with a real stake in the country and had no axe of his own to grind. If elected he would represent them all, and not merely one section and one class, but they would not be certain of his election unless they did all that they could to secure it.

MAJOR COOPER.

Major Cooper said that he had undertaken the contest because he felt that the Dail should be representative of every class and section in the Free State, and because he believed that he could do good there. His main desire was to make Ireland a better and happier country to live in. The first essential towards this was peace, and he wished to give the Government, President Cosgrave, Mr. O'Higgins, and General Mulcahy the credit that was their just due for the manner in which they had restored order. (Applause.) They had faced an appalling situation fearlessly, and in any measures needed to continue the work of preserving order and security they would have his unflinching support. (Applause.) If he was asked to define their greatest need at the moment he would say that it was stability. Unless the State was stable there was no security for life and property, and unless their finances were stabilised it was impossible to introduce necessary reforms. As soon as their income exceeded their expenditure steps should be taken to lighten the burden of taxation which oppressed every farmer and every business man in the Free State. It was at the root of the high cost of living and it was an active agent in producing unemployment, and until it was reduced there was little hope of the country obtaining the capital needed to develop its resources. A reduction of taxation was unobtainable without a reduction in expenditure. He stood for a reasonable retrenchment in the cost of the public services.

THE POST OFFICE.

Major Cooper referred to a speech of the late Mr. John Redmond, in which the complaint was made that Irish administration cost £7,000,000 a year. Last year, said Major Cooper, it cost £46,000,000. They must have economy and they must get the big debt wiped out. Unless they did they could not borrow money cheaply. While they had that debt they could not fully develop housing schemes, drain bogs, develop water power. Construction schemes and reconstruction, and the great natural resources of the country could not be developed unless their balance sheet was rectified. Economy was not inconsistent with efficiency, and he felt that the criticism he would offer on those questions in the Dail would be helpful and not hostile to the Government. He criticised Post Office administration, which he said was still expensive and less efficient than when under British management. Major Cooper pointed out that from the hour at which he was speaking they would get no letters until Tuesday morning, and said that this was the second time in this month that this had happened. He mentioned a case of a letter taking from Monday to Wednesday to come from Foxrock, a place to which one could walk in an hour. It took three days to get an answer to the City of Dublin unless one posted very early, and, said Major Cooper, the Post Office was only going to lose revenue by that sort of thing. If he were elected, he would try to get the Government to be more up to the mark in this and other small points.

Mrs. Frances Cooper moved a vote of thanks to the Chairman and the meeting concluded.

COUNTY GALWAY.

Mrs. Mellows and the Republican candidates availed themselves of the Inter-provincial hurling at Galway yesterday to address a meeting at the Claddagh.

Mrs. Mellowes made a strong appeal for votes for her son, who is in jail.

The Republican Party alleges that they have been the victims of interference, a bill-poster having been "held up" at the revolver point.

At Ballinasloe an interrupter asked Mr. Frank Fahy what about the oath in Document No. 2.

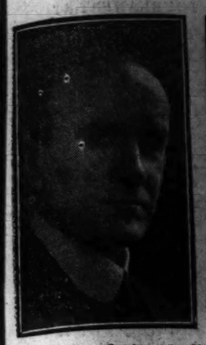
Mr. Fahy handed him a copy of Document No. 2, and challenged him to find any oath in it.

SINN FEIN RALLY.

FINAL SPEECHES IN DUBLIN.

SACKVILLE STREET DEMONSTRATION.

The Republican Party last night made a final rally in support of their candidates in Dublin. Meetings were held at various points in the city during the evening, and at night a very large crowd assembled in Sackville street. It was so large that it was thought necessary to have three platforms, the principal one being near the ruined buildings. As the speakers mounted the platform they were greeted with great enthusiasm. There was no disorder, and the



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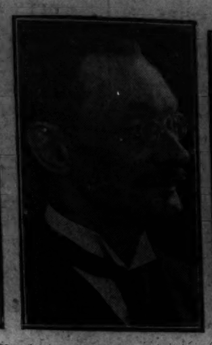

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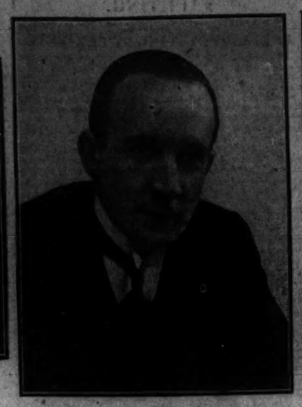

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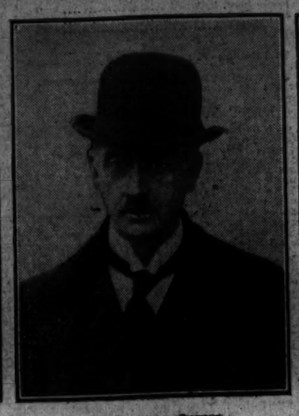

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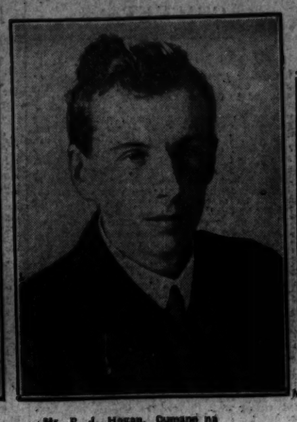

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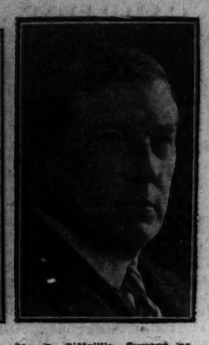

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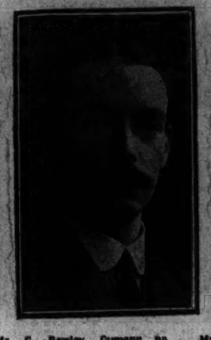

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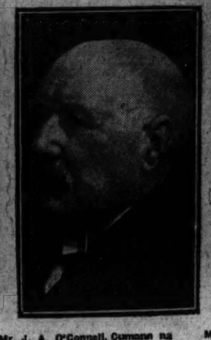

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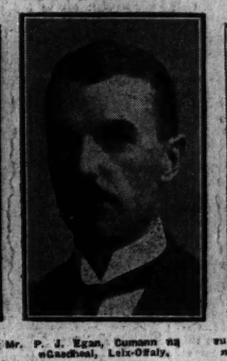

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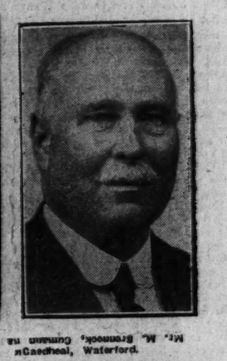

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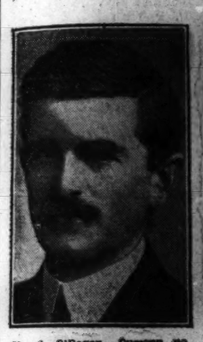

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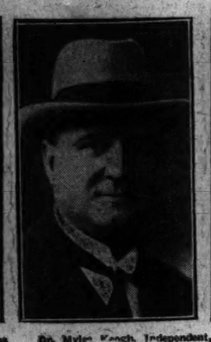

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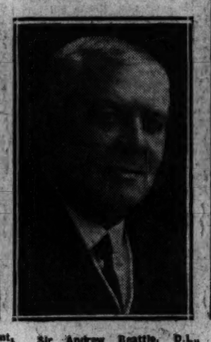

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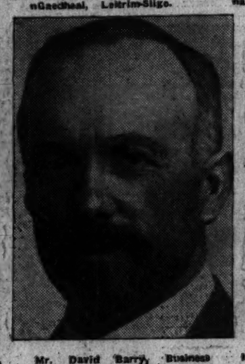

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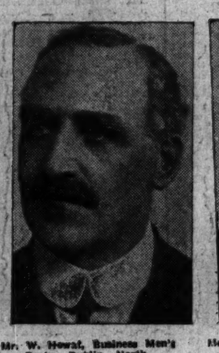

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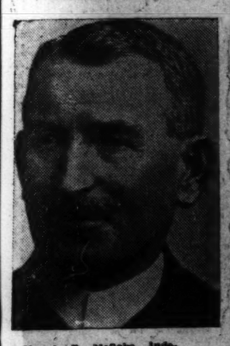

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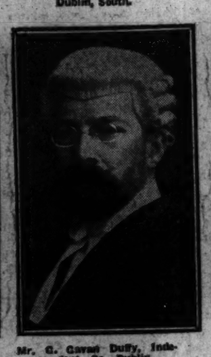

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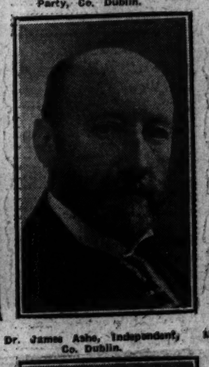

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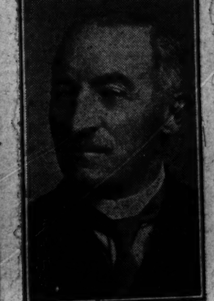

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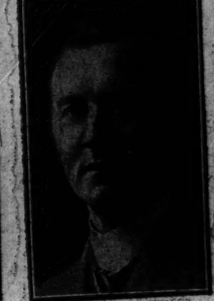

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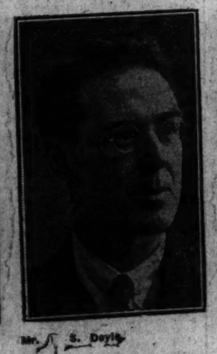

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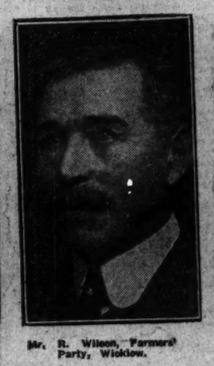

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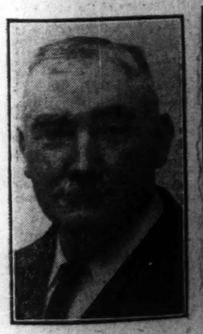

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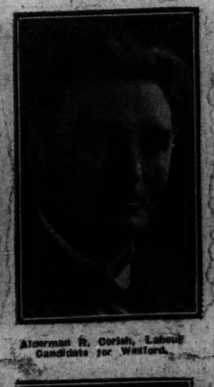

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GOSSIP FROM THE COURSE.

THE AUTUMN CAMPAIGN.

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CORCYRIAN'S DEFEAT AT HURST PARK.

FROM OUR TRAVELLING CORRESPONDENT.

LONDON, Sunday Night.

The last phase of summer, so far as racing is concerned, passed away at Hurst Park yesterday, and the autumn campaign, the busiest and, in a sense, the most important period of the season under Jockey Club Rules, opens at York on Tuesday next. It should, as usual, be a very interesting meeting on the famous racecourse of the historic Yorkshire city, although there are several strong stables, like Jack Jarvis's and Dawson Waugh's, that will not be represented this year.

I mentioned a few days ago that it was impossible to obtain an offer in the North against the Irish candidate for the Ebor Handicap, Little Marten. In the last week there has become a perfect obsession for the chances of this colt. I cannot recollect this race having been won before by an Irish-trained candidate, though, of course, War Wolf and The Page, who won it in successive years, did not lack for Irish supporters.

LITTLE MARTEN GREATLY FANCIED.

This year the chance of Little Marten has at present entirely captured the English imagination, and I notice that practically every Sunday journal published in London has made him its selection this morning. In the betting lists of those who have early books on the race he is generally a 7 to 2 chance. The opposition this year is likely to cut down a good deal, and the race may not take a great deal of winning. For example, none of the five horses at the top of the handicap—Norseman, Bhuidhaonach, Flint Jack, Carpathus, and Junioo—are likely to run, so that top weight is likely to be carried by Thoughtless. Bessema is also likely to wait for the Prince Edward Handicap, in which case Ceylonese may do duty instead for Reg. Day's stable, and as the Cesarewitch is the more likely race for him his chance need not, perhaps, be taken any too seriously.

The candidates of whom I have received the best accounts are Irish Belfry, Tharros, and Highcliff. Irish Belfry has done a splendid preparation for the race, and there is no doubt that she is greatly fancied. Last year I thought that her best distance was a mile and a half, but she may have improved in stamina since then. Her chance must be greatly respected.

Tharros runs for Mr. James White in preference to Norseman, who waits for the Prince Edward Handicap at Manchester, and Donoghue will ride him. This colt is a good deal fancied. He was sold out of the late Fred. Hunt's stable on account of a supposedly incorrigible temper, but since Laing Ward has had him at Foxhill he has done wonders with him, and the colt is now perfectly tractable. He beat Ceinturon in great style at Ascot, and he should beat this Frenchbred colt again just as easily.

Highcliff is a Spearmint colt, out of Mr. J. J. Maher's good mare, Snoot, the dam of Caligula. He had an undistinguished career until this season, during which he has won three races. Two of them were in a very moderate company, but in the Great West Riding Handicap at Pontefract he beat Advantage, Silver Band, and Young Pole. He has never been over the distance here, a mile and three-quarters; but the Pontefract course is a terribly severe one, and the mile and a-half there is nearly as trying as a mile and three-quarters in other places. Mr. Adam Scott may provide some danger with either Jazz Band or Weathertide, but if Little Marten is the colt his admirers claim he should have no difficulty in winning here under St. 11lb.

THE PAPYRUS AMERICAN PROJECT.

Perhaps the most interesting event of the whole week will be the reappearance of Papyrus in the Duke of York Stakes on Wednesday. I may be pardoned for a moment for referring again to the project to send this colt to the United States to run against the best of the American three-year-olds. I ventured a week ago in this column to throw ridicule on the idea, and was for the moment almost alone in suggesting that it was asking an almost impossible task of the Derby winner. Since then there has been a great veering round of opinion on the subject, which, indeed, has been the foremost topic of conversation in racing circles throughout the week. Most people are agreeing now that the whole idea of the match is ridiculous. It is delightfully spectacular and all that sort of thing, and will provide most excellent newspaper copy, but I doubt whether there is a single knowledgeable racing man who would wager a shilling on the chance of Papyrus against a good American three-year-old—and the American form is not to be decried—a few weeks after he has had an autumn voyage across the seas, when the Atlantic is not likely to be altogether at its smoothest.

There is a bigger matter at stake than the reputation of the colt Papyrus, and that is the reputation of the British thoroughbred. Should Papyrus be beaten, naturally the most will be made of it on the other side of the Atlantic. I suggested last week that Mr. Irish, the owner of Papyrus, might be able to sell him across the water for a very good price, and in this connection it is interesting to note that a well-known dealer on commission in thoroughbred stock has publicly announced that all the authentic details about the colt's trip to America must be sought for from him. So far, however, nothing definite has been settled about his going. We shall all be interested to see how Papyrus fares at York should the good filly, Concertina, to whom he has to give 20lbs., be kept for the event.

CORCYRIAN'S IGNOMINIOUS DEFEAT.

The blow of yesterday's racing was the ignominious defeat of Sir George Murray's Corcyrian, who was a blazing hot favourite for the Maze Handicap. I am afraid that the half-brother to Orby's Pride and Ardcour is none too generous. He was in a malevolent mood in the paddock, and when he received a bump from Merripit as the tapes went up it rather fixed matters with him, for he settled down last, and remained last practically all the way. His supporters had a wretched run for their money. He was, too, almost the only one backed, though some money went on the winner, Envoy, and Set Off at sixes. Set Off ran well, but he was beaten a quarter of a mile from home, where Envoy took up the running and beat Hideaway comfortably by a couple of lengths.

The half-brother to Glasgerion has now to some extent compensated Mr. Harry Brown for several expensive defeats both on the flat and over hurdles. His owner-trainer has had a lot of trouble with the horse's forelegs, but he has returned to form this season and his victory yesterday was very easily gained.

Both the Irish fillies, Miss Brian and Vesta, ran in the Nonsuch Handicap, a five-furlong affair, for which Catalani was a better favourite than Double Court. Neither filly had a quotation in the market, and neither had anything to do with the finish, which was fought out between Double Court and Wild Mint, the former winning by a short head. It was a great race, in which Double Court, in contradistinction to the last meeting here, where he was badly away, jumped off in front. At the distance Beary challenged on Wild Mint, and in a great finish he just failed to get up.

BEARY RIDES TWO WINNERS.

Fortune has not been too kind to Beary in one way and another recently, but it took a sudden change here, for, although he was beaten by a better horse in Double Court, he won the first two races on Golly Eyes and Fair Castilian, both of which are trained in Frank Hartigan's stable. Golly Eyes and Fancy Man were joint favourites, but the former beat his rival very easily. For a nine-year-old he retains his speed in quite a remarkable fashion. Fair Castilian, to whom there were several preferred in the market, was also a comfortable winner of the Ditton Two-Year-Old Selling Plate. Beary was heartily congratulated on winning, for he is popular here, and there is a good deal of sympathy with him over his recent lawsuit.

The Clio filly, who caused Beary to be reprimanded at Liverpool and Smirke at Newmarket, before being disqualified at Epsom, was a runner for the Robin Hood Two-Year-Old Selling Stakes, and was a sound favourite. Smirke rode her here, as Beary could not do the weight, but, although she kept a straight course for once, she was well beaten by Royal Heron. This colt, who is by Mr. Edward Kennedy's stallion Royal Canopy, was the medium of a big gamble, and he won very easily from the Clio filly after leading all the way.

GAELIC MOSS.

DOWN ROYAL.

FEW RUNNERS AT THE MAZE.

Small fields and uninteresting racing at the Maze on Saturday confirmed the opinion which prevails with most people at present that there are too many meetings. As well as the racing being dull, the weather was also unkind, for rain kept pouring down for a good part of the proceedings, and it was only at the end of the programme that the conditions were any way favourable. Whilst a good company travelled by the special train from Amiens street, the fixture was not so well supported as usual by Northern folk, and the attendance both in the enclosure and outside was thin.

The racing calls for little comment, as with only sixteen horses turning out for five races, there was not much to enthuse over. Backers of favourites had no reason for complaining, however, as not once were they defeated. Lady Elaine and Lady Ben remained in close company for a good part of the race for the Thorn Cup, but a bad swerve in the straight spoiled any chance Lady Ben had of landing the spoils. Backers of Rechelor's Secret got a bit of a fright when Mr. Brabazon's horse made an attempt to bolt away to the left nearing the winning post, but he had already established too strong a lead to be caught. Poiret always held Woodley safe in the race for the Iveagh Plate, and Ellen Gibby also had a comparatively easy task in winning the Argosy Plate, while The Tempteress beat her solitary opponent for the Montalto Plate in hollow style. Details:—

2.15.—**THE THORN CUP**, £50. A handicap flat race. About 7 f. and 50 yds.

Mr. Kenyon's b. f. LADY ELAINE, by The White Knight—Pindia, 3, 8-4 (car. 8-7) ..... Burns 1

Mr. R. Dian's LADY BEN, 5, 7-9 ..M. Murphy 2

(Winner trained by D. R. M'Kenna.)

Betting—5 to 1 on LADY ELAINE.

The pair in close company for five furlongs, when Lady Ben swerved, and Lady Elaine, drawing clear away, won easily by six lengths.

2.45.—**THE HILLSBOROUGH PLATE**, £50. A flat race. About 1 m.

Mr. Brabazon's br. c. BACHELOR'S SECRET, by Tredennis—Lady Black, 4, 10-7, car. 10-10 ..... Owner 1

Mr. D. Harvey's MANTA, 4, 10-7, car. 10-10 ..... W. Horan 2

Mr. Hume's GRECIAN WAVE, 5, 10-7 ..... Mr. S. Waring 3

Capt. Murland's Goodwill, 4, 10-12 ..A. Letchre 0

(Winner trained by Owner.)

Betting—2 to 1 on POIRET.

Woodley made the running to the distance, where Poiret drew to the front, and won by a length.

3.25.—**THE ARGOSY PLATE**, £50. 1 m.

Mr. J. Duffy's br. m. by ELLEN GIBBY, by Llangibby—Miss Ellen, 3, 8-9 ..... M. Wing 1

Mr. C. F. Kenyon's TILSTOCK, 4, 9-11 T. Burns 2

Mr. J. Shock's TIN HAT, 4, 9-11 ..... Bullock 3

Mr. T. Taaffe's Sheir Bean, 4, 8-3 ..Jos Harty 0

Mr. D. G. Dickson's Shine On, 4, 8-0 (car. 8-2) ..... W. Quirke 0

(Winner trained by E. Deinzer.)

Betting—7 to 4 agst. ELLEN GIBBY, 3 to 1 each Tin Hat and Shine On, 4 to 1 Tilstock, 10 to 1 Sheir Bean.

Two lengths from Miss Ellen Gibby and Tilstock until half a mile from home, when Ellen Gibby drew to the front, and, holding Tilstock at bay, won by a length and a half; fifteen lengths divided second and third. Shine On was fourth.

4.0.—**MONTALTO PLATE**, £50. 5 f.

Mr. D. Power's b. f. THE TEMPTRESS, by The Bard—Wishing Anne, 3, 8-4 ..Jos Harty 1

Mr. Lowry's CANADIAN HERODES, 3, 8-7 ..... M. Doherty 2

(Winner trained by C. Brabazon.)

Betting—9 to 1 on THE TEMPTRESS.

The Tempteress made all the running, and won in a canter by eight lengths.

HURST PARK RESULTS.

2.0—**WOLSEY SELLING PLATE**, £300 ..... 1 m.

Mr. A. Pole's b. c. GOLLY EYES, by Charles Bat—Golly Gosh, 4, 9-0 ..... Beary 1

Mr. T. Edge's FANCY MAN, 6, 9-3 ..... Y. Smyth 2

Mr. Goodman's ARDMONA, 4, 9-0 ..J. Clarke 3

Also ran—Molsers Blanc, Contractor (Carslake), Lady Black, Mr. Piermont (F. Diner), Zoza (Archibald), (Winner trained by F. Hartigan.)

Betting—7 to 4 each agst. GOLLY EYES and Fancy Man, 3 to 1 Maldure, 10 to 1 Benuia, 100 to 7 any other.

Won by two lengths; four lengths.

The winner was bought in for 530 gns.

2.30—**DITTON TWO-Y.O. SELLING PLATE**, £300 ..... 5 f.

Mr. Pole's b. h. FAIR CASTILIAN, by Farman —Castilda, 8-11 ..... Beary 1

Mr. A. Ash's GREEDY GIRL F., 8-6 ..J. Leach 2

Mr. M. S. Russell's CABBAGE, 8-11 Perryman 3

Also ran—Bash, Bog (V. Smyth), Miss Brian (Jellis), Sare Gain (J. Beasley), Potentilla f. (Gardner), Discourse (Archibald), Ajette (G. Smith), Catriona (J. Smyth), Colonia g. (Carslake), Lady Black (A. Bates), Irish Vesta (Morris). (Winner trained by F. Hartigan.)

Betting—4 to 1 agst. Ajette, 5 to 1 each Colonia g. and Irish Slice, 6 to 1 each M. Clears and Miss Brian, 7 to 1 each FAIR CASTILIAN and Cabbage, 100 to 6 any other.

Won by three-quarters of a length; half a length. The winner was bought in for 460 gns.

3.0—**MAZE HANDICAP PLATE** of £600 sovs. 1¼ m.

Mr. H. Brown's ch. h. ENVOY, by White Magic —Excellency, 6, 7-8 ..... T. Weston 1

Mr. C. Oden's HIDEAWAY, 5, 7-6 ..... G. Wilson 2

Mr. W. Singer's MERRIPIT, 4, 8-4 ..F. Bullock 3

Sir G. Murray's Corcyrian, 4, 8-11 ..Carslake 0

Mr. S. Joel's Set-Off, 5, 8-5 ..... M'Lachlan 0

Mr. Piggott's Jay, 5, 8-0 ..... G. Bellamy 0

Mr. Biagrave's Double Bed, 6, 7-13 ..Gardner 0

Mr. A. Baum's Dolritts, 3, 7-6 ..... Donoghue 0

Sir H. Samuelson's Hatchford, 3, 7-6 ..R. Jones 0

(Winner trained by Owner.)

Betting—6 to 4 agst. Corcyrian, 6 to 1 each ENVOY and Set-Off, 7 to 1 Hideaway, 8 to 1 Warways, 10 to 1 Merripit, 100-6 to any other.

Hideaway was followed by Set-Off, Dolritts, Envoy, Hatchford, Double Bed, and Corcyrian, last. After going a quarter of a mile Set-Off took up the running from Merripit, Hideaway, Envoy, Double Bed, Merripit, Hatchford, and Corcyrian, still last. Below the distance Envoy assumed command, and won easily by two lengths; a length separated second and third. Double Bed was fourth, Warways fifth, Hatchford next, and Dolritts last.

3.30—**ROBIN HOOD T.Y.O. STAKES**, sweepstages of £100 each, £500 added. 5 f.

Mr. Haine's ch. c. ROYAL HERON, by Royal Canopy—Heron's Nest, 7-7 ..... T. Weston 1

Mr. A. Walker's CLIO F., 7-4 ..... Smirke 2

Mr. Sullivan's LA PALOMA C., 7-7 ..... Beary 3

Also ran—Solar Eclipse (H. Jones), Ormline (Shatwell), C. by St. Girons (Ferryman), Survivor (Grace). (Winner trained by Nugent.)

Betting—2 to 1 each Clio f. and Royal Heron, 6 to 1 Solar Eclipse, 100 to 8 others.

Won by three-quarters of a length; three lengths.

4.0—**MONSOUP HANDICAP STAKES**, £2 each, £400 added. 5 f.

Mr. Vernon's b. h. DOUBLE COURT, by Bachelor's Double—Vantage, 5, 8-2 ..... Morris 1

Mr. T. Davidson's WILD MINT, 4, 9-4 ..Beary 2

Mr. R. Jack's JASON, 5, 8-7 ..... Bullock 3

Also ran—Phalus (F. Bullock), Compiler (Archibald), Vesta (Jellis), Sœur Anne (Donoghue), La Lemiere (G. Smith), Mr. Brian (Elliott), Catalani (R. Jones), Archangel (Richards), (Winner trained by Wootton.)

Betting—5 to 2 agst. Catalini, 7 to 2 DOUBLE COURT, 5 to 1 Jason, 6 to 1 each Wild Mint and La Lemiere, 100 to 8 any other.

Won by short head; a length and a half.

4.30—**APPRENTICES' STAKES** of £1 each, £200 added. 7 m. 61 f.

Mrs. G. Morrin's b. g. VICTOR NOIR, by Black Jester—Fosse, 6, 6-11 ..... M'Gloughlin 1

Mr. J. White's TREGENWELL, 4, 7-13 J. Collins 2

Mr. A. Prince's MENATCHIE, 3, 6-11 J. Sirrett 3

(Winner trained by Smyth.)

Betting—11 to 8 on Tregenwell, 3 to 1 agst. VICTOR NOIR, 4 to 1 Menatchie.

Won by four lengths; a bad third.

THIS WEEK'S RACING FIXTURES.

IRELAND.

Tuesday—Kells.
Wednesday and Thursday—Limerick Junction.
Saturday—Phœnix Park.

ENGLAND.

Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday—York.
Wednesday and Thursday—Devon and Exeter.
Friday and Saturday—Gatwick.
Friday and Saturday—Haydock Park.

OFFICIAL SCRATCHINGS.

YORK MEETING.

Badminton Plate—Dreaj Span, Cyrus, Perfect Form.
Prince of Wales' Plate—Count Palatine c., Cyrus, Jolis, Mansouriyah.
Convivial Plate—Manchu.
Gimcrack Stakes—Alliston, Grand Canyon, Mesolite, Miramonde f., Corolet, Cherki, Isernay.
Harewood Handicap—Alderney, Zanoni.
Yorkshire Oaks—Suryakumari.
Great Yorkshire Stakes—Portsoy.
York engagements—Hippolyte, Santorb, Pomsan, Keystestone, Tornarven, Blazoner, Honeyflower, Mill Belle, Rafter, Crimson Dawn, A.B.C., Audiem.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Lowfield Nursery, Gatwick; and Elvaston Nursery, Derby—Vain Perry.
Arran Nursery, Western Meeting—Sochranza.
Anchencrrive Stakes and Stewards' Plate, Western Meeting—Lambrick.
Paddock Selling Nursery, Haydock Park.—Clondaise.
Selling Welter, Haydock Park—Wee Mon.
Falmouth Handicap, York; and Town Moor Handicap, Doncaster—Dragoon.
Rangemoore Plate, Derby—Beda.
Three-Year-Old Welter, Manchester—The Gripper.

SPORTING PARAGRAPHS.

Mr. C. Brabazon saddled two winners at the Maze on Saturday.

Milenko has left Newmarket on the first stage of his long journey to Buenos Ayres.

A fixture under National Hunt Rules is arranged at Portlaoise for September 24 and 25.

A new fixture at Stratford-on-Avon is arranged for October 6.

At the Deauville bloodstock sales last week, Senor E. Martinez de Hoz paid 250,000 francs for the yearling colt, Prestigny, by Sonyme Kinc, out of Trecolia. This beats the previous French record of 210,000 francs, given last year by Lord Derby for Pistolaire (Alcantra II.-Plushing), who has not yet appeared in public.

CRICKET.

CLONTARF V. PHŒNIX.

This Senior League match, at Castle avenue on Saturday, was seriously interfered with by the morning deluge of rain, and it was close on 4 p.m. before a start was effected on the sodden pitch. Phœnix were three men short, but, borrowing three juniors from the home club, agreed to carry on. Batting first on a slow, easy wicket, the visitors lost two wickets for nine runs, and then made an excellent recovery, scoring 177 runs during the three hours and twenty-five minutes that play was in progress and only surrendering one more wicket. Score:—

NOTTS—First Innings.

G. Gunn c O'Connor b Eastman	1
Whyrell c and b Eastman	6
J. Gunn not out	76
Hardstaff c Eastman b Hipkin	45
Payton not out	28
Extras	21
Total (5 wkts.)	177

To bat—Carr, Staples, Barratt, Oates, Matthews and Richmond.

CIVIL SERVICE.

F. E. Buxton c Smith b Reid	20
A. G. Francis b Reid	31
P. Connell run out	8
C. O'Connor b Reid	4
G. Nowlan c Pollock b Smith	6
O. P. Sweeney c Chaytor b Reid	1
D. H. Pemberton not out	4
J. H. Wilson trained by Owner	0
James Smith b Chaytor	0
J. M. Sweeney b Chaytor	0
F. J. Sweeney b Reid	1
Extras	0
Total	76

BELFAST MATCHES CANCELLED.

Four matches had been arranged for Saturday in connection with the Ulster Senior League, but owing to the persistent downpour of rain all had to be cancelled. The final of the Junior Cup competition was postponed until Monday. Mackamore, with all their wickets intact, and with 94 runs to their credit, will then resume their innings. Their opponents, Enfield, only scored 50 at their first attempt.

COUNTY CHAMPIONSHIP.

MIDDLESEX V. SURREY.

At Lord's on Saturday, following heavy rain on Friday, the wicket was so soft on top that the batsmen had to fight every hard for runs, considering the conditions which prevailed, Middlesex did very well to keep Surrey in the field for four hours, and finish with a total of 335. Score:—

MIDDLESEX—First Innings.

G. E. Crutchley b Ritch	4
H. L. Dales l.b.w. b Peach	16
G. T. Stevens c Strudwick b Fender	15
Hendren c Abel b Fender	7
F. T. Mann b Shepherd	45
N. Haig b Fender	45
G. O. Allen not out	28
J. L. Guise c Strudwick b Fender	1
R. H. Hill b Fender	3
Murrell b Fender	4
Durston b Fender	5
Extras	26
Total	231

SURREY—First Innings.

D. J. Knight not out	38
Sandham not out	16
Extras	4
Total (no wkt.)	52

To bat—Ducat, Shepherd, D. R. Jardine, P. G. Fender, Abel, Hitch, Peach, Sadler and Strudwick.

Bowling—Middlesex—First Innings—Hitch, 1 for 24; Peach, 1 for 55; Fender, 7 for 72; Shepherd, 1 for 26; Abel, 0 for 20; Sadler, 0 for 8.

ESSEX V. NOTTS.

As the result of the heavy rain of the previous day it was impossible to start the match between Essex and Notts at Leyton on Saturday until after lunch. Batting first on a slow, easy wicket, the visitors lost two wickets for nine runs, and then made an excellent recovery, scoring 177 runs during the three hours and twenty-five minutes that play was in progress and only surrendering one more wicket. Score:—

NOTTS—First Innings.

G. Gunn c O'Connor b Eastman	1
Whyrell c and b Eastman	6
J. Gunn not out	76
Hardstaff c Eastman b Hipkin	45
Payton not out	28
Extras	21
Total (5 wkts.)	177

To bat—Carr, Staples, Barratt, Oates, Matthews and Richmond.

ESSEX—J. W. Douglas, Capt. C. J. Tree-loan, Capt. Nicholas, F. W. Gilligan, C. T. Ashton, H. W. Franklin, W. G. Eastman, Freeman, Russell, O'Connor, and Hipkin.

WORCESTERSHIRE V. GLAMORGAN.

Worcestershire gained a great advantage in their last county match at Worcestershire on Saturday. Winning the toss, Glamorgan made a poor show against Root and Pearson. They lost half their wickets for 40, Mercer's 38 was the highest contribution, and the total was only 118. Pearson bowled finely, taking 6 wickets for 42 runs, and when he sent back Morgan he credited himself with his 1000th wicket. He had already obtained his 1,000 runs. Score:—

GLAMORGAN—First Innings.

N. V. Riches c. Pearson b. Root	6
T. H. Morgan c. Hampherson b. Pearson	7
Bates c. Foster b. Root	0
W. D. Davies c. Ashton b. Pearson	15
Stone c. Root b. Pearson	0
F. B. Pinch st. Maclean b. Pearson	19
T. A. Whittington c. Foster b. Root	8
J. Arnott l.b.w. b. Pearson	28
Mercer c. Pearson b. Root	1
Ryan b. Pearson	14
Hacker not out	12
Extras	118
Total	

WORCESTERSHIRE—First Innings.

M. K. Foster c. Davies b. Mercer	12
G. Ashton b. Arnott	55
F. G. Crawley not out	58
W. O. Hopkins run out	24
Pearson b. Hacker	16
Fresco l.b.w. b. Arnott	0
J. P. Maclean not out	25
Extras	15
Total (6 wkts.)	211

To bat—Hon. J. Coventry, V. W. Humpherson, H. A. Gilbert, and Root.

Bowling—Glamorgan, First Innings—Pearson, 6 for 42; Root, 4 for 64; Gilbert, 0 for 0.

KENT V. WARWICKSHIRE.

On a slow wicket at Dover on Saturday Warwickshire occupied all day in putting together a total of 296. They made a remarkable recovery, as after Parsons and Quaife had retrieved a bad start with a stand for the third wicket, which realised 90 in an hour and 35 minutes, three more wickets fell for 16 runs. Parsons, 108 out at 98, batted soundly for 66. The best partnership of the day, however, was between Stephens and Santall, who came together when the seventh wicket had fallen for 136. Without taking any risks they carried the score steadily to 271. Score:—

WARWICKSHIRE—First Innings.

Smith c Hubble b Freeman	3
Capt. Parsons c Hardinge b Collins	66
Bales l.b.w. b Freeman	0
R. G. Quaife l.b.w. b Collins	23
E. R. Wyatt c Hardinge b Freeman	3
W. E. Partridge b Freeman	15
R. W. Quaife b Freeman	1
G. W. Stephens c Cornwallis b Freeman	37
Santall c Hardinge b Woolley	79
Kinnear b Freeman	0
Howell not out	9
Extras	9
Total	296

KENT—L. H. Troughton, J. L. Bryan, A. F. Bicknore, Capt. Cornwallis Collins, Seymour, Woolley, Ashdown, Hardinge, Hubble, and Freeman.

Bowling—Warwickshire (1st Inns.)—Collins, 2 for 63; Woolley, 1 for 44; Freeman, 7 for 64; Ashdown, 0 for 35; Cornwallis, 0 for 29; Hardinge, 0 for 51.

LANCASHIRE V. DERBYSHIRE.

The weather was dull and threatening at Old Trafford on Saturday, and it was not surprising that rain soon after luncheon caused a stoppage of two hours and a quarter in Lancashire's return match with Derbyshire. Derbyshire, who batted first, did not call a glorious figure at the wickets, being all disposed of in two hours and 40 minutes for a total of 156. The feature of the innings was a scarkling 73 by W. Hill-Wood, who, going in first, was fifth out at 110. Score:—

DERBYSHIRE—First Innings.

W. W. Hill-Wood c and b Watson	75
Bowden b Parkin	11
Cadman b Parkin	4
G. E. Jackson st. Duckworth b Parkin	12
Morton c Pewtress b Watson	7
Pratt c Watson b Parkin	6
Hutchinson c Watson b Parkin	0
B. S. Hill-Wood l.b.w. b Parkin	2
Townsend b Watson	17
Horsley st. Duckworth b Parkin	4
Elliott not out	2
Extras	2
Total	156

LANCASHIRE—First Innings.

Makepeace c Elliott b Horsley	0
Hallows b Cadman	21
Duckworth not out	0
Extra	1
Total (one wicket)	22

To bat—J. Sharp, L. Green, A. W. Pewtress, R. Tyldesley, R. Tyldesley, Parkin, Watson, and A. Ellis.

Bowling—Derbyshire (1st Inns.)—Parkin, 6 for 60; Ellis, 0 for 30; R. Tyldesley, 0 for 30; Watson, 4 for 26.

SUSSEX V. LEICESTERSHIRE.

The cricket at Hove on Saturday, when the Brighton Festival opened with the match between Sussex and Leicestershire, was very tame. The home bowlers for a long time keeping the batsmen fighting hard for runs. The home county were four hours and ten minutes scoring 219. The very fine bowling of Geary—6 for 53—was a large factor in this. Score:—

SUSSEX—First Innings.

A. H. Gilligan c Astill b Geary	12
Bowley b Reid	33
R. A. Young c Dawson b Astill	67
Cox c Hale b Astill	49
K. A. Higgs b Geary	12
Cook b Geary	2
Tate b Geary	10
Lieut.-Col. Watson b Geary	0
A. E. Gilligan b Geary	1
J. C. Newman c Dawson b Astill	11
Street not out	3
Extras	18
Total	219

LEICESTERSHIRE—First Innings.

Major Fowke b A. E. Gilligan	4
Sidwell b A. E. Gilligan	1
Hale l.b.w. b A. E. Gilligan	0
G. B. Rudd not out	2
Total (3 wkts.)	7

To bat—Astill, A. T. Sharp, J. C. Bradshaw, E. W. Dawson, Geary, A. C. German, and Benskin.

Bowling—Sussex—First Innings—Geary, 6 for 53; Astill, 3 for 72; Benskin, 0 for 31; Hale, 0 for 35; Rudd, 1 for 10.

HAMPSHIRE V. YORKSHIRE.

Once more Yorkshire upon winning the toss at Portsmouth on Saturday put Hampshire in. So successful did this policy turn out, that when a busy day's cricket came to an end Yorkshire, with two batsmen still to go, were in front of their task by 131 runs in front. Score:—

HAMPSHIRE—First Innings.

Hon. L. H. Tennyson c Holmes b Robinson	18
Kennedy l.b.w. b Robinson	3
Brown c N. Kilner b Robinson	0
Mead l.b.w. b Macaulay	9
R. Aird c Leyland b Macaulay	0
Capt. T. O. Jameson b Macaulay	0
Newman st. Dolphin b R. Kilner	25
H. D. Hake b Macaulay	0
C. P. Bruiton c Dolphin b R. Kilner	0
W. R. Shirley b Macaulay	0
Livsey not out	2
Extras	6
Total	65

YORKSHIRE—First Innings.

Holmes c Brown b Kennedy	40
Sutcliffe c Livsey b Kennedy	22
Oldroyd run out	3
Leyland b Kennedy	8
Rhodes c Livsey b Kennedy	1
R. Kilner not out	75
N. Kilner c Livsey b Newman	1
Robinson b Newman	1
G. Wilson b Newman	0
Macaulay not out	20
Extras	10
Total (8 wkts.)	197

To bat—Dolphin.

Bowling—Hampshire—First Innings—Robinson, 3 for 30; Macaulay, 5 for 25; R. Kilner, 2 for 5.

THE CHAMPIONSHIP TABLE.

Compiled to August 24.

	Played.	Won.	Won 1st Inns. on 1st Inns.	Lost.	Lost 1st Inns.	Points obtained.	Points possible.	Per centage.
Yorks ..	23	23	3	1	0	212	140	86.42
Notts ..	25	15	4	2	3	1	83	120	69.16
Kent ..	25	14	3	2	3	1	75	125	60.00
Lancs ..	28	14	5	6	2	1	80	135	59.25
Surrey ..	23	10	6	5	2	2	63	105	59.04
Sussex ..	27	14	1	4	8	0	72	135	53.33
Worcs ..	22	9	2	4	8	0	53	105	50.00
Somset ..	22	9	1	3	9	0	47	110	42.72
H'shire ..	25	9	4	4	7	1	55	120	40.58
D'shire ..	20	4	6	4	6	0	32	100	32.00
Glamorgan	25	6	3	5	11	0	36	125	30.37
Essex ..	23	6	3	5	11	0	36	125	30.80
Leicster.	23	5	4	1	12	1	33	115	30.86
Warwick.	22	6	4	1	12	1	33	115	30.86
Middlsex	22	6	4	1	12	1	33	125	27.60
Gl'm'gan.	22	2	2	3	16	0	22	125	17.60
N'hants.	22	2	1	3	16	0	12	110	10.90

POLO.

Culmullen had compensation for their defeat by Ardmuchan on Thursday last, when at the A.I.P.C. ground, Phœnix Park, on Saturday, they decisively beat Oak Park in the second match of the Goldsmiths' Cup Tournament by 5 goals to 1.

In a four-chukkar match Navan beat Trim by 3 goals to 2.

The teams and scorers were:—

Culmullen—John Leonard (1), R. O'Reilly (2), R. S. Slocock, and P. J. Leonard (2).

Oak Park—Capt. R. Daly, J. P. A. Larminie (1), Capt. N. A. Goulding, W. P. Tyrrell.

Navan—C. O'Reilly, R. O'Reilly and P. J. Leonard (3) alternately. A. McCann, and H. O'Reilly (2).

Trim—R. H. Usher, T. R. Leonard (1), John Leonard (1), and J. W. Shackleton.

To-morrow—Third tie in Goldsmiths' Cup—Ardmuchan v. Ardsallagh, 4 o'clock. Practice follows.

SWIMMING.

LONG DISTANCE CHAMPIONSHIP.

The Amateur Swimming Association's Long Distance Championship was decided in the Thames from Kew to Putney on Saturday, a distance of five and a half miles. J. G. Hatfield, of Middlesbrough, who has won several championships this year, and who had previously won the long distance race, was an easy winner from L. Savage, of the Penguin S.C., with R. G. Milnes, of Jersey, third. There was a stiff wind blowing, and the water was at a low temperature. Hatfield went ahead at the start, and, soon established a commanding lead. At Barnes' Bridge he led by 19 seconds from R. F. Peter (Penguin), the holder, and after passing Hammersmith Bridge the Middlesbrough man drew clear away to win easily by three minutes. Peter retired after passing Hammersmith Bridge, and Savage went into second position, which he maintained to the close. Hatfield's time was 1 hr. 7 mins. 13 secs., ten seconds less than last year's time, when Peter was the winner. W. G. Rayden (Ealing S.C.), a blind swimmer, finished fourteenth, and W. Beetlestone (Birmingham Leander), who has only one leg, finished sixteenth.

MISS JAMES WINS PARIS RACE.

The eight kilometre swimming race through Paris, held under the auspices of the Federation of Swimming and Life-saving, resulted as follows:—

Women—Miss Hilda James (England), 1; Mdlle. E. Lebrun (France), 2; Mdlle. Houdelette Gardelle (France), 3; Miss Elsie Annison (England), 4; Miss M. Chattle (England), 5. Time—2 hrs. 35 mins.

Men—Jean Rotegral (France), 1; Sachues (Italy), 2; Ledrian (France), 3. Time—2 hrs. 4 mins.

CYCLING.

IRISH ROAD CLUB'S "HUNDRED" POSTPONED.

Owing to the unfavourable weather prevailing at the time fixed for the start of the Irish Road Club's hundred miles scratch race and handicap on Saturday, the race did not take place.

RUGBY.

NEW ZEALAND v. NEW SOUTH WALES.

In the first Rugby football Test match between New Zealand and New South Wales, at Wellington, the home team won by 19 points to 9.

YACHTING.

A DISAPPOINTING WEEK-END.

Commencing at three o'clock—and doing so as sharply as if by time signal—it blew wickedly hard for the Bray and a half, the sea rising as quickly and as swiftly, and that hour and a half completely spoiled the sport of the afternoon. The morning had been quite promising for even more rain and little wind, but a change for the better had set in long before the first race was near, and it tempted a number of yachts to get ready.

Then came the chance for the worse, and with it disappeared the hope that had of seeing the 15-metre Thetis II. out under her Bermudian rig, and, at the same time, reduced the afternoon's programme to (in addition of what it should have been) one.

For example, the Combined Classes Match was reduced to two starters, one becoming a lame duck at once; two only arrived out of four starters in the Seapoint Class II. boats, and one of those quickly gave up had to seek safety in Dublin River. There were no 17-footers out, and one only, Eileen, left her moorings, while even over the Harbour Course three starters only were to be seen when the 100 miles championship at Magilligan, the programme was changed, the national event and the centre side-car championships being postponed for a fortnight, and the four twenty-five miles championships of the Southern Centre being substituted therefor. There were four classes for machines 250 c.c., 350 c.c., 600 c.c. and unlimited capacity, and for each the entries were representative. The meeting was under the auspices of the Leinster Motor Cycle Club, and the manner in which it was run off reflected credit on the officials. A rapidly rising tide permitted of no time being lost, and, despite a late start, the programme was br

GOLF.

TOURNAMENT AT CARNOUSTIE.

...rammure), a former winner of the ...onship, won the Dundee Telegraph ...uge Cup at Carnoustie on Saturday, ...he final round W. Cook, of the ...b, Edinburgh, by two holes.

G.S. — The competition for the ...W. Lombard Murphy) prize was ...took on Saturday. Owing to the ...e weather to touch a large number ...nts did not travel. The conditions ...except for a strong breeze, were ...pleasant. The winner was Watson, ...Weekly Irish Times "), with a net ...ith a wind, represented steady golf. ...HAIRER (Ladies' Branch).—Inter-...ge sweepstakes, 18 holes, continue ...

... club-house will be closed at 5 p.m. ...

... mixed foursome competition on ...1st September, is semi-open, not ...y announced.

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FINANCIAL NEWS

IRISH STOCK EXCHANGES.

The following is a full record of the business done on the Dublin and Belfast Stock Exchanges last week in each department, except Consols and War Loans. The day on which the business was done is indicated by the initial letter in parentheses, and dealings in odd lots are marked by an asterisk:—

DUBLIN.

...p.c. Land Act Stock—50½ (F.).
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...ublin Stock—59½ (F.).
...ublin Port and Docks 3½ p.c.—56½ (M.).
...ank of Ireland—*248½ (M.), 249c (T.), 248½c (W.), *249½c (F.).
...ibernian Bank—7 (W.), 6½ (F.).
...unster and Leinster Bank—5½b (M.), 6½b (Th.), 6½ (F.).
...ational Bank—20½ (M.), 20½ (T.), 20½ (W.), 20½ (Th.), 20½ (F.).
...rovincial Bank—*22 (M.).
...thenry and Tuam—5 (M.).
...ublin & E. Ord.—*20 (M.).
...ublin S.E. "A" Deb.—53 (T.), *53 (W.), 62½ (Th.)
...ublin S.E. "B" Deb.—62 (W.).
...reat Northern Ord.—*61 (T.), 63 (F.).
...reat Northern Pref.—55½ (T.), 55½ (W.), 55½ (Th.)
...reat Northern Deb.—80 (T.).
...reat Southern Ord.—45½ (M.), 46 ½ (T.), 47 (Th.) *47½ (F.).
...reat Southern Guar.—50½ (T.), 61c 2 (W.).
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...idland G.W. Ord.—37 (T.), 37 (Th.), 37c (F.).
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...outh Clare—90/-a (T.).
...est Clare—85/-b 90/-a (T.), *90/- (W.).

...rnott Ord.—*5½ (W.).
...rmstrong (A.) Ord.—*6/7½ (W.).
...lliance Gas—7½ (Th.), 7½ (F.).
...rooks Thomas Ord.—*2½ (W.).
...ritish American Tobacco (Bearer)—105/9 (T.).
...urke Ord.—*64/6 (M.), *64/6 (F.).
...urke Pref.—*74/6 (Th.).
...urke Deb.—*81½ (M.), *81½ (Th.).
...ushers—*47/- (M.), 48/3 (W.), 49/6 (F.).
...radford Dyers—54/- (M.).
...ritish American Tobacco—105/- (M.), 105/6 (T.), 105/6 5/9 (W.), 105/9 5/6 (Th.), 106/7½ (F.).
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...allon—28/- (T.), 28/6 (W.), 29/6 (Th.), 29/7½ 5/6 9/7½ 9/6 (F.).
...oats—68/3 (M.), 68/3c (T.), *69/3 (W.), 69/6 (Th.), 69/6 9/4½ (F.).
...oats "B" Pref.—24/6 (F.).
...ourtaulds—62/- (M.), 63/- (W.), 62/10½ (Th.), 62/3 (F.)
...ublin Trams Ord.—6½ (M.), 7 (F.).
...ublin Trams Pref.—9½a (Th.), 9½ (F.).
...ublin Tram (D.S.D.) Deb.—70 (T.).
...ublin Artisans Dwellings—6½a.
...olphin Hotel Ord.—45/- (M.).
...unlop "B" Pref.—*20 (W.).
...unlop "A" Pref.—14/3 (Th.).
...uinness—38½ (M.), 38½ (T.), 38½ (W.), 38½ (Th.), 38½ (F.).
...uinness Prefs.—*12½ (M.), *12½ (T.), 12½ (W.), 12½ (F.).
...ope Bros. Ord.—22/3 (M.).
...mperial Tobacco—71/4½ 1/9 2/- (M.), 71/9 (T.), 72/6 *2/6 *2/6 (W.), *71/1½ 1/3 1/7½ x.d. (Th.), 71/7½ (F.).
...rish Civil Service Building—*21 (W.).
...rish Times 5½ p.c.—65/9 (Th.).
...ameson Deb.—7½ (T.), 7½ (Th.).
...ohnston, Mooney and O'Brien Ord.—62/6 (M.).
...ever 7 p.c. Pref.—21/9b 21/10½a (W.), 21/10½ 2/- 2/1½ (Th.), 22/1½ 2/5 (F.).
...ever 6 p.c. Pref.—21/- (M.), 20/10½ (Th.), 20/10½ 1/- (F.).
...arconi—47/3 (M.), *47/3c (T.), 46/6 (W.), 47/- (Th.), 46/9 (F.).
...arconi Canadian—7/6c (T.).
...exican Eagle—20/7½ (M.), 20/9 (T.), 21/1½ (Th.)
...im Pref.—76/3 (F.).
...ower Pref.—22/- (M.), 21/10½ (T.).
...arent Tyre Ord.—*16/- (T.).
...arent Tyre Pref.—12/4½ (Th.).
...adio Corp. Pref.—15/- (T.).
...ewing Cotton—49/9 50/- (M.), 49/9 (T.), *46/9 *50/6 (Th.).
...hells—68/6 (W.), 69/6 (Th.), 71/3 1/6 (F.).
...am Seng Rubber—2/- (W.).
c—Cash. b—Bid. a—Asked.

BELFAST.

...elfast Corporation 3½ p.c. 1940—80a (F.).
...elfast Harbour Commissioners 3½ p.c.—75½b (F.).
...ibernian Bank—6½ (F.).
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...estminster Bank—17½ (Th.), 17⅝ (F.).
...reat Northern Railway Stock—53 (T.), 53 (F.).
...ritish-American Tobacco Ord.—105/3 (M.), 105/9 (Th.), 105/3 (F.).
...ritish-American Tobacco 5 p.c. Pref.—90/10½ (Th.)
...ritish Cotton and Wool Dyers—8/7½ (M.).
...runner Mond and Co. Ord.—39/3 (T.).
...oats Ord.—68/6 (M.), 69/1½ (F.).
...oats 6 p.c. Pref.—26/6 (Th.).
...unlop Rubber—8/- (M.), 8/- (T.), 8/- (W.), 8/1½ (Th.).
...unville and Co.—13½ (T.), 13½ (F.).
...ine Cotton Spinners and Doublers Ord.—48/9 (M.).
...ughes Ord.—42/- (F.).
...perial Tobacco—72/6, 71/6, 72/- (W.), 71/9 (Th.)
...glis and Co. Ord.—21/- (Th.).
...ever Bros. 7 p.c. A Pref.—21/- (M.), 21/- (T.), 21/1½ (W.), 21/- (F.).
...ever Bros. 7 p.c. Pref.—22/1½ (W.), 22/1½ (Th.)
...exican Eagle—20/7½ (Th.).
...ld Dunmurry Distillery Ord.—10/6 (F.).
...att Bros.—37/- (M.).
...obertson, Ladlie, Ferguson, and Co.—8½ (Th.).
...overs—21/6 (Th.).
...mall Transport—3/- (Th.).
...nited Tobacco (South), Ltd., Ord.—60/6 (W.).
...hite, Tomkins, and Courage Ord.—23/9 (W.).
...atson and Co. 5 p.c. Pref.—12/6 (M.).
...orkman, Clark Deb.—35a (F.).
...ork St. Flax Spinning Co. Ord.—30½ (W.).
...ork St. Flax Spinning Co. 7 p.c. Pref.—21/6 (Th.)
(a—Asked; b—Bid.)

DIVIDENDS AND REPORTS.

ARTIZANS' LABOURERS' AND GENERAL DWELLINGS.—Interim dividend at rate of 5 per cent. per annum, less tax, on Ordinary Stock for half-year.

DOMINION TAR AND CHEMICAL.—Final dividend of 2½ per cent., free of tax.

FERODO.—Dividend of 12½ per cent., free of tax, on Ordinary, and 10 per cent. on 7 per cent. Preference Shares.

INTERNATIONAL COAL.—Dividend of 7½ per cent., less tax, for year.

MINERS' FINANCE AND AGENCY.—Dividend for the half-year at the rate of 10 per cent. per annum, free of tax, on Ordinary.

QUEENSLAND NATIONAL BANK.—Dividend of 10 per cent. for the year and bonus of 2/6 per share.

R. AND W. HAWTHORN, LESLIE AND CO.—Dividend of 5d. per share, less tax.

SHORTS, LTD.—Half-year's dividend on 6 per cent. Preferred Ordinary Shares.

UNION PACIFIC RAILROAD.—Dividend of 2½ per cent. on Common Stock for quarter.

TRAFFICS.

Canadian Pacific Railway—Week to August 21, £518,000 dollars; increase, 149,000 dollars. Cape Electric Tramways—July revenue, £32,643; expenses, £24,396. Canadian National Railways—Week to August 21, 4,983,693 dollars; increase, 438,505 dollars. Lancashire United Tramways—Week to August 21, £2,863; decrease, £276. Mexican Railway—Week to August 21, 224,300 dollars; decrease, 17,900 dollars.

SCOTTISH SPITZBERGEN SYNDICATE.

Mr. J. Maxtone Graham presided at the fourth ordinary meeting of the shareholders of the Scottish Spitzbergen Syndicate at Edinburgh on Saturday. In moving the adoption of the report and accounts, he stated that the very important results were obtained by the last exhibition, which was a comparatively small one, and the directors were more than ever satisfied that the company possessed a very valuable coal and coke property, and one ready for immediate developments. Negotiations with financial interests were pending, and as previous negotiations had been adversely affected by the delay on the part of the Danish Government in accepting the Norwegian Bill relating to Spitzbergen, the newspaper report that the bill has now been accepted by all the Signatory Powers of the Spitzbergen Treaty was the best news they had had for a very long time. Official information, however, had not been received by the company. The report was adopted.

FELL 2,000 FEET.

ZERMATT, Sunday.

A shocking accident occurred yesterday on Rothorn Zinal (15,855 feet), when a man named Schier and his son, of Olten, slipped during their descent near the Great Gendarme and fell two thousand feet.

The two climbers attempted this dangerous mountain climb without a guide.

According to a Moscow telegram, Lunacharsky stated at a meeting in Moscow that Lenin's health was improving.

LONDON MONEY MARKET.

FLOATING CREDIT PLENTIFUL.

There was an abundance of floating credit seeking employment in Lombard street, supplies being augmented by railway dividend disbursements, while the demand for loans was small. Consequently, balances were finally offered down to 1 per cent. till Monday, old loans being renewed at 2½ per cent. and weekly fixtures at 2½ per cent. The "tap" rate for additional Treasury bills was maintained at 2½ per cent., and discounts generally were steady, there being scarcely sufficient business to test quotations. The new Treasuries were called 3 per cent., with Novembers at 2½ per cent., and fine three months' bank bills were not better than 3½ per cent.

Bank Rate (Discount) changed July 5, 1923, 4%.

60 days (fine	2⅛	2			
3 months "	3⅛	3			
4 months "	3⅛	3⅛	Trade	4	4½
6 months "	3⅜	3⅜	"	4½	4½
Loans to brokers day-to-day	3⅜	3⅜	"	4½	4½
" for a week				2½	2½
Deposits allowed by Banks at call				2	2
" Discount houses, at call				2	2
" at notice				2½	2

The Foreign Exchange Market remained inactive, with the tendency favourable upon the whole. Francs improved further to 80.35, and Belgian francs to 100.05, Italian lires being 105½. German marks, however, relapsed to 24,500,000 to the £, and sterling on New York was not quite so good at 4.55½ dollars. Continental currencies as a rule were steady, but Greek drachmas further improved to 245. Polish marks at 1,100,000 to the £ were unaffected by the news that efforts are being made to negotiate a loan in New York. Argentine dollars further sagged to 38⅞, and Brazilian milreis gave way to 4⅜. Rupees were a shade harder, while China Exchange was weaker.

There was a fair inquiry for silver, and the amounts offering being small the price for bars was advanced ⅛d. to 30⅛d. per oz. for spot, and ⅛d. to 30⅛d. for forward delivery. The following are the closing quotations:—

	August 25.	August 24.	Normal Rate.
Alexandria	97⅛	97⅛	97½d
Amsterdam	11.57½ 11.56	11.57 11.57½	12.10
B. Ayres	38⅞ 38½	38⅝ 38⅛	47.58
Barcelona	33.60 33.55	33.60 33.60	25.22
Berlin	24,500,000	24,000,000	20.43
Bombay	1/3⅛ 1/4	1/3⅛ 1/4	2/0
Brussels	100.00 100.10	100.80 101.00	25/22½
Celentha	1/3⅛	1/3⅛	2/0
Christiania	27.80 27.92	27.95 28.00	18.15
Copenhagen	24.35 24.37	24.35 24.40	18.15
Constantinople	1.54⅜ 1.55½	1.54 1.55	—
Finland	164½ 164¾	164½ 165	25.22½
Greece	240 245	253 265	25.22½
Hong Kong	2/3¼ 2/3½	2/3 2/3½	—
Hungary	75,000 100,000	75,000 100,000	—
Italy	105¾ 105¾	105½ 105¾	25.22½
Lisbon	2⅞ 2⅞	2⅞ 2⅞	53/5d
Madrid	33.81 33.84	33.83 33.86	25.22½
Mexico	25d	25d	48/10d
Montreal	4.56⅜ 4.57	4.56⅜ 4.56⅝	4.86
Netherlands	37⅞ 38⅛	38 38½	51d.
New York	4.55¾ 4.55⅝	4.55⅝ 4.55⅞	4.867
Paris	80.30 80.40	80.75 80.85	25.22
Poland	1,100,000	1,065,000	—
Rio de Janeiro	5⅝	4⅞	16d.
Roumania	1,015 1,048	1,010 1,020	—
Shanghai	3/0⅛ 3/1⅛	3/0⅛ 3/1⅛	—
Singapore	2/4⅛	2/3⅞	2/4½
Stockholm	17.09 17.11	17.10 17.14	18.15
Switzerland	25.18 25.20	25.18 25.22	25.22
Valparaiso	37.10	37.00	18.33
Vienna	320,000 350,000	323,000 328,000	—
Warsaw	2/1½ 2/1⅝	2/1⅝ 2/1⅞	24.5

The Times quotation for the German mark to-day is 24,500,000.

TROPICAL PRODUCE.

CONTINUED IMPROVEMENT.

The course of prices in the tropical produce market during the past week fully confirms the optimistic views which have been expressed in these notes for the past month. There is certainly a much stronger undertone to the market, which has created considerable nervousness among shorts, who have been compelled to cover their commitments somewhat hurriedly for their own protection. The general source of strength has come from the United States, where, as far as the market situation is concerned, the corner seems to have been turned. The general weakness of the American grain market has largely influenced the inactivity of the past three months, but now there has been a good recovery, fats and liquid oils have responded sharply and cotton oil, lard, etc., have been rising steadily. It is evident that prices for both of these articles in the States can now be maintained without reckoning on the normal support from Europe.

The chief trouble of this side has been the economic situation on the Continent, where millions of marks appear to be thrown about with as little compunction as the cheapest of postage stamps. The German exchange reached a state where it became impossible to finance the imports of the raw materials required to keep the German margarine and soap industries going, and for that reason trade in the raw materials to the German manufacturers came practically to a standstill some ten days ago, and many of the works had to stop altogether. It is understood that arrangements have been made whereby a portion of their requirements can again be financed, and a small part of the normal output may be resumed, but until the German currency position is brought into definite working order again the output will remain restricted, with a depressing effect on markets generally. It is the revival of American trade, together with the fact that prices are already on a comparatively low level, that has prevented the total collapse of the oil and fat markets, and produced in the consumers and speculators a considerable interest when shorts found that the markets were not going down as rapidly as they anticipated.

Sales of palm oil during the week reached once more the respectable total of about 3,000 tons, the buying being chiefly short covering, and on United States account with a little show of interest from the Continent. The home trade has taken very little part. Prices have substantially advanced, with Lagos 30s. per ton dearer, and softs, mediums and regulars 25s. per ton up. Mid-winter positions command a premium of 2s. 6d. to 5s. per ton, and it may be noted that the transit option is coming into favour again with the revival of the export demand. Present quotations are:—Lagos £35, Sherbro' £33 15s., Niger £35 and Benin £34 15s. Palm Kernels have been more active than for some considerable time, and although Crushers are still very reluctant there are not wanting signs of a greatly improved trade demand. Quotations on the week are about 10s. per ton higher, with October-December shipment in good favour at anything round £17 10s. There is good buying at Hull, but Hamburg has only shown spasmodic interest.

The copra market has been stimulated by support from Marseilles and to some extent from consumers, with Rotterdam a good purchaser, but cable offers from the East brought quotations back to their previous level. The market closes with a fair recovery and a much better outlook. There are signs of activity for ground nuts, chiefly at Marseilles, United Kingdom and the Continent. Crushers come along with good enquiries, and sellers of Decorticated Nigerians are asked £22. Palm Kernal Oil is in fair request, with Liverpool crushed, naked, quoted £36 ex mills.

THIS WEEK'S AUCTIONS OF FURNITURE AND FINE ARTS.

TUESDAY.

9 and 10 Bachelor's Walk, Dublin (James Hill and Son, M.I.A.A.).

WEDNESDAY.

17 Brighton road, Rathgar (William Montgomery and Son, M.I.A.A.); "St. Brendan's," Grosvenor road, Rathmines (James Adam and Sons).

THURSDAY.

"St. Brendan's," Grosvenor road, Rathmines (James Adam and Sons), in continuation.

FRIDAY.

Ashton Court, Youghal, Co. Cork (R. H. Shaw).

U.S. MARKETS.

STOCKS CLOSED HEAVY.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.)

NEW YORK, Saturday.

Stocks opened heavy. The cutting of dividends on Oil Shares lent confidence to bear traders, many leaders being forced down 1 to 2 points. Oils and Motor Shares were the main features of the session, and also the weakest. The market closed heavy. Government Bonds irregular. Railroad Bonds steady. The day's sales totalled 290,000 shares. Money on call dull. Sterling exchange steady. Silver ¼c. up for foreign mined at 62¾c.

Railroad earnings for the month of July—Reading, gross $8,564,000, increase $3,506,000; net $1,955,000, increase $2,147,000. Wabash, gross $5,426,000, increase $783,000; net $623,000, increase $10,000.

Louisville and Nashville advanced ½, National Lead 1, and International Mercantile Marine Common ⅛; Chicago North-Western Ord. declined 1½; Missouri Kan-sas Common, Reading Common, Chicago Rock Island, General Electric, Anglo-American Oil Shares and U.S. Steel Second Mortgage Bonds ½; National of Mexico First Pref. 1½, New York Central ⅛, Reading First Pref. 2¼ and Southern Railway Pref. 1.

Eng. Parity	STOCKS.	Closing Bid Prices ‡ Fri.	‡ Sat.	Business Done. H.	L.
115½	Funded	102⅜	102⅜	—	—
96⅛	Atch., Top. Santa Fe.	87½	87⅝	—	—
96⅛	Do. Preference	87½	87⅝	—	—
22½	Baltimore and Ohio	48	48	—	—
150½	Canadian Pacific	144⅜	144⅜	—	—
83⅛	Chesapeake (Ohio Cent.)	58	58	—	—
17½	Chic., Mil., & St. Paul.	15⅛	15	—	—
71½	Chicago and N.-West.	66⅛	65½	—	—
50⅝	Erie 1st Preferred	23	24⅛	—	—
50⅝	Do. Gen. Lien	21½	21¾	—	—
88⅜	Great Northern Pref.	53⅜	54⅛	—	—
118½	Illinois Central	105¾	105¾	—	—
60⅛	Lehigh Valley	39	39	—	—
118½	Louisville & Nashville	86⅝	87	—	—
11⅝	Mis'ri, Kan., & Texas.	11	10½	—	—
84	Do. New 4 p.c. Bonds.	84	Nom.	—	—
81⅛	Do. Adj. 5 p.c. Bonds.	80⅜	80⅜	—	—
9⅝	Missouri Pacific New	9⅜	9¼	—	—
4⅜	Nat. of Mexico 1st Pf.	9⅜	4⅜	—	—
8⅜	Do. 2nd Pref.	8⅜	8⅜	—	—
107⅛	N.Y. Cit. & Hudson R.	96⅜	98	—	—
119⅜	Norfolk & West Com.	105⅜	105⅝	—	—
69⅛	Northern Pacific Com.	58⅜	58⅜	—	—
104⅛	Ontario and Western.	85⅛	85⅛	—	—
47	Pennsylvania Shares.	42⅞	42⅞	—	—
84⅛	Reading Shares	74⅜	74⅝	—	—
84⅛	Do. 1st Preferred.	74⅜	74⅝	—	—
84⅛	Do. 4% Mort. Bonds.	87⅛	87⅝	—	—
36⅛	Southern Railway	22⅝	22⅝	—	—
93⅛	Southern Pacific	87⅛	87⅛	—	—
93⅛	Union Pacific Com.	82⅜	82⅜	—	—
142⅜	Union Pacific	126⅜	126⅜	—	—
84⅛	Do. Pref.	72⅜	72⅜	—	—
102⅜	Do. 4% Bonds	83	83	—	—
84⅛	Wabash Common	6¾	6¾	—	—
29⅜	Do. Preferred A	27	26⅞	—	—
64⅜	Amer. Smelt. Refin. Com.	58⅜	58⅜	—	—
64⅜	Canada Copper	49⅜	49⅜	—	—
26⅜	Brit.-Amer. Tobacco	25⅛	25⅛	—	—
67⅜	N.Y. Cons. Gas	60⅛	60⅛	—	—
177⅜	General Electric	177⅛	177	—	—
100⅝	Int. Nickel Common	25⅜	25⅜	—	—
117⅛	Do. 1st Preferred	117	116⅞	—	—
111½	Do. 2nd 5% Bonds	102	101½	—	—
—	Silver (Foreign Mined)	62¾c	62¾c	—	—
21⅛	N.M. Mex. Com. Certs.	6⅛	6	—	—
22⅛	Do. Prefd. Certs.	21⅛	21⅛	—	—
48⅜	Royal Dutch Oil	44⅜	44⅜	—	—
48⅜	Shell Transport	44⅜	44⅜	—	—
174⅜	Mexican Petroleum	230*	230*	—	—
64⅜	Pan-American Pet.	59⅜	59	—	—
64⅜	Anglo-American Oil	14⅜	14	—	—
17⅛	General Motors	15½	15½	—	—
43⅜	U.S. Rubber	30½	30⅝	—	—

*Asked. ‡Ex div. ‖Ex Bonus. §Ex rights

	Friday.	Saturday.
Call Money	2½ 3½	Nominal.
Ex. on Ln. 60 days' st.	4.57.80	4.57.80
Ex. on Ln. Demand Bills	4.56.37½	4.56.23
Cable Transfers	4.56.43½	4.56.80
Ex. on Paris	6.63	6.71¼
Ex. on Berlin	0.00.22	0.00.18
Cotton, Mid. Upland	25.45	25.35
Do., New Orl. Mid.	24.25	24.25
Cottonseed Oil, P. Sum. Yellow Spot	—	10.80
Cot Seed Oil, Val. Sept.	10.87	10.76
Petro., Refined, for cash	13.00	12.80
Do. Standard White	12.50	12.50
Do., Philad., Stan. 60	12.50	12.50
Do., Texas, Crude	3.00	3.00
Spirits of Turpentine	33	33
Do., Savannah	33	33½
Resin, Grade K	4.62½	4.62½
Grade F	4.62½	4.62½
Lard, Prime West. Stm.	12.27½	12.40
Do. Midland West	11.75—11.85	11.90—12.00
Tallow, Extra	7½	7¾
Sugar, New Cuban	5.90	Closed.
Corn, West., No. 2 Mix.	103¼	103
Wheat, No. 2 Hd. Win.	118¾	118¾
Do., No. 2 Red Winter	112¾	113¼
Do., No. 2 Mix. Drm.	111¾	112¾
Coffee, Rio, No. 7	16¼	Closed.
Clone, Spring Chicken	5.00—5.50	5.00—5.50
Iron, No. 2 Nor. Fdry.	25.00—26.00	25.00—26.00
Tin, Straits	30.87½	30.87½
Wool, 64, Lon.	6.60	6.60
Electrolytic Cop., Spot	14—14¼	14—14¼
Do. do., Future	14—14¼	14—14¼
Freight, Heavy Grain to U. Kingdom, per bushel	1/6	1/6
Freight, Heavy Grain to Continent, per bushel	6	6
Freight, Corn to L'pool (high Density)	20	20
Do., Stand. (per 100lb.)	35	35

PRODUCE MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Saturday.

WHEAT—Spot market firm, 1c. dearer. Export sales, 40 boatloads. Receipts—Atlantic, 216,000; last year, 1,216,000. Clearances, 202,000; last year, 896,000.

FLOUR—Firm and unaltered.

CORN—Spot market easy, 2½ points cheaper. Receipts—Atlantic, 35,000; last year, 188,000. Clearances, nil; last year, 345,000.

LARD—Cash market firm, 12½ to 15 points dearer.

COFFEE and SUGAR markets closed.

RUBBER steady, ¼c. higher. First latex crepe and smoked ribbed sheets, 21c.

COTTON opened steady, 2 to 8 points up, and went higher for a time on better conditions in the cotton goods trade, reports of too much rain in the Atlantic States, and support from Wall street, but fell later on an expected bearish ginners' report, the unsatisfactory spot situation, and selling by Southern and spot interests. The market closed steady, 15 points up to 10 points down. Spot quiet at 10 points fall. New Orleans spot unaltered. The current's week's receipts at the ports are estimated to total 90,000 bales. Receipts—Atlantic, 1,000; Gulf, 15,000. Exports—Britain, nil; Continent, 8,000; Japan, 8,000. New York cotton futures in last twenty seconds of trading:—Aug., unquoted; Sept., lowest 24.60, highest 24.62; Oct., 24.11, 24.12; Nov., 24.08, 24.08; Dec., 24.05, 24.08; Jan., 23.79, 23.80; Feb., 23.82, 23.82; March, 23.85, 23.87; April, 23.85, 23.85; May, 23.85, 23.86; June, 23.66, 23.68; July, 23.52, 23.52. New Orleans futures in last minute of trading:—Oct., lowest 23.49, highest 23.51; Jan., 23.45, 23.46.

The Japan Trading Co. estimate the cotton crop condition at 55.9, and the total crop at 10,926,000 running bales.

COTTON OIL firm.

PETROLEUM steady and unaltered.

TALLOW steady and unaltered.

IRON steady and unchanged.

TIN steady at late rates.

ELECTROLYTIC COPPER steady, unchanged.

KANSAS CITY—Wheat firm; No. 2 hard winter, 108¾.

ST. LOUIS—Wheat dull.

MINNEAPOLIS—Wheat firm, ¼c. up; No. 1 Northern spring, 119.

WINNIPEG—Wheat opened easy, ¼c. to ⅜c. lower, and closed steady and unchanged to ⅛c. up; Dec., 101¾. Oats easy, ⅛c. cheaper; Dec., 44¾.

CHICAGO, Saturday.

WHEAT opened irregular, ¼c. down to ⅜c. up, the decline being due to increasing stocks and interior receipts and liquidation; then an advance took place under small country offerings, stronger North-West markets, adverse crop news, a better cash demand, and short covering. After another reaction on talk of better weather and realising, the market closed steady, ⅜c. higher. Spot steady. No. 2 hard winter spot, 106½; No. 3 hard winter spot, 103½; Sept., 103½; Dec., 107⅜; May, 113½.

CORN opened irregular, ¼c. down to ⅜c. up, the decline arising from larger receipts and liquidation of September contracts; then a rally occurred because of light country offerings, the strength of wheat, and commission house buying, but on favourable crop reports, realising, and selling by cash houses, the market closed easy at ¼c. to ⅜c. decline. Spot No. 3 mixed, 88½; Sept., 85; Dec., 67⅛; May, 68½.

OATS easy at ¼c. to ⅜c. fall. Sept., 38⅛; Dec., 40¼; May, 42⅜.

PROVISIONS opened steady, and rose with hogs, and also on light receipts, expected small hog receipts West next week, foreign buying, and a good cash demand, and although there was some realising later the market closed steady, with lard 10 and ribs 15 to 22½ points up. Pork unquoted. Lard—Sept., 11.37; Oct., 11.50. Ribs—Sept., 8.70; Oct., 8.77½; Jan., 9.35.

BACON 25 to 12½ points up. Receipts of hogs at fifteen principal Western centres, including

ON VIEW TO-MORROW.

RATHGAR—17 BRIGHTON ROAD.

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WM. MONTGOMERY and SON ARE INSTRUCTED TO SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION ON THE PREMISES, AS ABOVE, THE EXCELLENT FURNITURE AND APPOINTMENTS OF THE RESIDENCE, COMPRISING:—INLAID MAHOGANY DRAWINGROOM SUITE IN GENOA VELVET, AND OVERMANTEL EN SUITE, 9-Piece Mahogany Suite in Red Velvet, Easy and Occasional Chairs, Antique Rosewood Music Waggon, Mahogany 4-Fold Screen, Overmantels, 9-Piece Mahogany Diningroom Suite, Mahogany Dining Table 2 Spare Leaves, Mahogany Mirrored-back Sideboard, Mahogany Cylinder Front Writing Desk, Inlaid Lady's Writing Table, Study Chair, Mahogany Hall Stand, and Pair of Chairs; Barometer and Clock in Oak Case; Brass Fire Sets and Screens, Mahogany and Ash Bedroom Suites, Bookcase and Cabinet, Toilet Set, Brass and Combination Bedsteads and Bedding, House and Table Linen, 2 Children's Cots, Doll's House, Axminster Floor and Stair Carpets, Linoleum, Decorative China and Glass, Kitchen Furniture, Culinary Utensils, Patent Mangle, Meat Safes, Pennsylvania Lawn Mower, Garden Tools, Water Cans, Deck Chairs, Ladder, and Miscellaneous Effects.

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(IF NOT PREVIOUSLY DISPOSED OF BY PRIVATE TREATY).

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MEDICAL APPOINTMENTS.

A QUALIFIED Dental Surgeon has vacancy for a Pupil.—T 1711, this office. 23 B

ASSISTANT Wanted, South provincial town; photo, veterinary preferred; canvassing essential. Address "Z 4829, Assistant," this office. 24 C

APPRENTICE required by Southern Pharmacy; passed preliminary; fee, particulars. Address "Z 4850, Apprentice," this office. 24 C

CHEMIST'S Assistant required immediately, locum, four or five weeks; Cork County. Address "Z 4859, Medical." 25 D

NURSE, very light district, non-cycling, Donegal, would Exchange, temporary or permanent, South or West; midwifery; present salary £140.—T 1843, this office. 24 A

PHARMACEUTICAL—Wanted, a qualified Man for first class Pharmacy with thorough knowledge of compounding; must understand photographic work. Address "Z 4852, Man," this office. 25 X

TORQUAY Nurses' Co-operation—Wanted at once, a fully trained Nurse; three months' salary, then own fees. Apply Lady Superintendent, Arolsen, Torbay road, Torquay.

YOUNG Lady, well recommended, seeks Pharmacy Apprenticeship; passed Preliminary Exam., July; if required fee given. Address "Z 4838, Lady," this office. 24 A

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WANTED, Cook General, good cook, experienced; R.C. Please apply, by letter, enclosing copies of references, state wages, age, etc., to Mrs. Governey, Barrowville, Carlow.

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WANTED, young experienced General for Howth, two in family; good plain cook and laundress essential.—T 1605, this office. 22 A

WANTED, strong young General; other maid kept.—55 Upper Leeson street. 24 A

WANTED, experienced General, small house, County Kildare. Address "Z 4795, General," this office. 23 B

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WANTED, House Parlourmaid, early September; assist washing; family two ladies.—Hope Johnstone, Trim, Meath. 22 A

WANTED, experienced House Parlourmaid, country place, two in family; three maids kept. Apply, stating wages and references, to Miss Reynell, Kilfyron, Killucan, Westmeath. 23 B

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WANTED, Nurse to care baby, 14 months, and two older children; good salary; Co. Waterford. Address "Z 4853, Nurse," this office. 25 C

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